The State of Wisconsin

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

EXECUTIVE ORDER #93

Relating to a Proclamation that the Flag of the United States and the Flag of the State of Wisconsin be Flown at Half-Staff as a Mark of Respect for Fire Chief Philip Mortensen of the Brooklyn Area Fire and EMS Protection District

WHEREAS, on December 22, 2012, Fire Chief Philip Mortensen of the Brooklyn Fire Department died within twenty-four hours of responding to an alarm call; and

WHEREAS, Chief Mortensen was a member of the Brooklyn Area Fire and EMS Protection District for nearly forty-two years, leading the District as fire chief since 1974; and

WHEREAS, Chief Mortensen provided faithful and honorable service to the people of Brooklyn and the State of Wisconsin; and

WHEREAS, the people of Wisconsin mourn the death of Chief Mortensen; and

WHEREAS, a memorial service will be held for Fire Chief Philip Mortensen on December 29, 2012.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, SCOTT WALKER, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, by the authority vested in me by federal and state law, do hereby order that the flag of the United States and the flag of the State of Wisconsin shall be flown at half-staff at all buildings, grounds, and military installations of the State of Wisconsin equipped with such flags beginning at sunrise on **Saturday, December 29, 2012** and ending at sunset on that date.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Wisconsin to be affixed. Done in the City of Madison this twenty-seventh day of December, in the year two thousand twelve.

SCOTT WALKER
Governor

By the Governor:

DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE
Secretary of State