

Statement from Tommy G. Thompson regarding yesterday's unanimous passage of AJR 61 by the Wisconsin State Assembly, declaring November 19, "Tommy G. Thompson Day."

"I was honored to have the Wisconsin State Assembly begin the process of recognizing November 19th as "Tommy G. Thompson Day." To have the assembly take the first step in honoring me has special meaning as I began my long career of public service as a member having first been elected to the assembly in 1966. Over the next 21 years, my experiences in the assembly best-prepared me to lead the great state of Wisconsin as it's governor. I thank Speaker Robin Voss for his leadership and the unanimous support of the Assembly in making November 19th, "Tommy G. Thompson Day."