

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Wisconsin's adult school crossing guards provide an invaluable service in helping to ensure the safe passage of our youngest, most vulnerable pedestrians—children—walking between home and school; and

WHEREAS, adult school crossing guards typically serve with a dedication that discounts the rigors of harsh weather, split shifts, and heavy traffic; and

WHEREAS, for more than five decades, adult school crossing guards have served communities across Wisconsin; and

WHEREAS, that service has helped to drive down the rates of young pedestrian deaths and injuries, despite increases in traffic volume; and

WHEREAS, adult school crossing guards add to the effectiveness of the student safety patrol members with whom they often serve and whose activity they help direct; and

WHEREAS, adult school crossing guards help reinforce in the minds of the young people they assist, the importance of traffic-hazard identification and safe street-crossing behavior; and

WHEREAS, school assemblies, school board resolutions, police department honors, parent-teacher organization observances, local news coverage, and especially smiles and kind words from children, will help to convey the gratitude of our communities for the life-saving, injury-reducing role that Wisconsin's adult school crossing guards play;

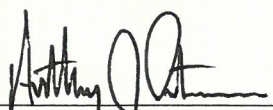
NOW, THEREFORE, I, Anthony J. Penterman, Mayor of the City of Kaukauna, Wisconsin, do hereby proclaim January 22 through January 26, 2024, as

WISCONSIN ADULT SCHOOL CROSSING GUARD RECOGNITION WEEK

in the City of Kaukauna, Wisconsin, and I commend this observance to all citizens.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Kaukauna to be affixed this 16th day of January 2024.

CITY OF KAUKAUNA



Anthony J. Penterman, Mayor

