



Executive Proclamation



WHEREAS, staff, local farmers, customers and volunteers at the Milwaukee County Winter Farmers' Market are celebrating their grand opening at the Tommy G. Thompson building at State Fair Park on Saturday, November 7, 2009; and

WHEREAS, the Winter Farmers' Market will be open most Saturdays through April 24, 2010, and is free and open to the public; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of the Winter Farmers' Market is to increase public access to fresh, locally grown, sustainable, healthy farm products, which, in turn, helps the local farm economy; and

WHEREAS, the Milwaukee County Winter Farmers' Market is part of the Electronic Benefits Transfer (EBT) program allowing eligible FoodShare recipients to use their wireless EBT cards to have access to nutritious, locally grown produce over the winter; now, therefore,

I, Scott Walker, County Executive of Milwaukee County, do hereby proclaim Saturday, November 7, 2009 to be

Milwaukee County Winter Farmers' Market Day

throughout Milwaukee County and congratulate the staff, local farmers, customers and volunteers for making the most of our homegrown products.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "Scott Walker".

Scott Walker
Milwaukee County Executive