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Milwaukee County to Recognize Denim Day 2026, Stand in Solidarity with Survivors

MILWAUKEE - Milwaukee County will once again stand in solidarity with survivors of sexual assault and take a visible stand against sexual violence in recognition of Denim Day, observed globally on the last Wednesday of April. The recognition aims to amplify the Denim Day message: no one should ever be blamed for their assault. Supervisor Sky Z. Capriolo issued the following statement:

“Denim Day recognition grants us the opportunity to remind ourselves that we all have a role to play in challenging harmful myths about sexual violence,” said Supervisor Capriolo.

“Wearing denim may seem simple, but it sends a clear and united message that we stand with survivors and reject victim-blaming in all its forms. Milwaukee County is proud to continue raising awareness and showing support through this important observance.”

Denim Day began as an international campaign to confront misconceptions about sexual assault and demonstrate solidarity with survivors. In 2024, Supervisor Capriolo authored a [resolution](#) with unanimous support from the full Board of Supervisors, officially recognizing Denim Day in Milwaukee County. Since then, the County has marked the occasion through visible acts of support with observations by elected officials and staff.

Community members are encouraged to participate by wearing denim on Wednesday, April 29, 2026, and sharing messages of support for survivors.

For more information on Denim Day and how to get involved, visit <https://denimday.org/>



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