

STATE OF MINNESOTA

EXECUTIVE ORDER

Declaration of "White Line Week"

WHEREAS, in our state there are men, women and children who must go through life handicapped by the loss of sight; and

AND WHEREAS, these citizens accept their handicap with great courage and not only that they be given a helping hand so that they may find the normal joys of business in life and jobs in which they may make useful contributions to our society; and

AND WHEREAS, those who are fortunate, blessed with vision have an obligation to assist those without sight as they walk our streets and roads and strive to surround their business so they may lead useful and happy lives; and

AND WHEREAS, the National Federation of the Blind requests that the third week in May be observed as "WHITE LINE WEEK" throughout our nation;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ELLIOTT S. LUTHER, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim May 15 to 21, 1949, as

"White Line Week"

and urge all citizens to honor the White Line by supporting the activities of the National Federation of the Blind, which help bring happiness, success, hope and useful living into what might otherwise be a dark and dreary existence.

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