

STATE OF MINNESOTA

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

A Proclamation of National Youth Month

- WHEREAS, adults have a sacred obligation to consecrate themselves to the vital task of helping our young people develop to the fullest of their capabilities so that they may be prepared to become good citizens and leaders for tomorrow; and
- WHEREAS, there are many children in the state and nation who need additional help and guidance so that they may develop strong character and sound bodies and minds; and
- WHEREAS, the need for educational opportunity, recreation, proper medical care, spiritual development and good family life for all youth must be given the full attention of all adults and youth organizations; and
- WHEREAS, the month of September has been designated as National Youth Month so as to further emphasize the importance of wholesome youth activities and guidance; and
- WHEREAS, the theater owners of America, the press, the radio industry and many other organizations have pledged their cooperation in presenting appropriate programs and activities for National Youth Month; now

THEFORE, I, LEONOR W. JOHNSON, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the month of September as

"NATIONAL YOUTH MONTH"

and call upon all citizens to join in the observance of this special month as a fitting salute to the youth of our state and nation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol in St. Paul this thirty-first day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-eight and of the State, the ninety-first.

Leonor W. Johnson
GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

Mike Holen
SECRETARY OF STATE

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