

STATE OF MINNESOTA

EXECUTIVE ORDER

A Proclamation for Cooperative Month

WHEREAS, cooperatives have long been an important part of the economic life of the State of Minnesota; and

WHEREAS, Minnesota leads all the states of the Union in the total number of cooperative associations in operation; and

WHEREAS, the Minnesota Association of Cooperatives has designated the month of October as a special time for the presentation of special programs and activities calling attention to the many contributions of cooperatives to the economic and general welfare of the people of our state; and

WHEREAS, it is especially appropriate that we give attention to the achievements of cooperatives since Minnesota will be host to the National Biennial Congress of the Cooperative League of the United States in November;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, LOUIS W. WILKINSON, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the month of October, 1948, as

COOPERATIVE MONTH

and urge all citizens to join with the Minnesota Association of Cooperatives in public observance of this worthwhile program which calls attention to the merits and the fundamental principles of the cooperative associations in our state.

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 fourth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-eight and of the State, the ninety-first.

Luther W. Wilkinson
GOVERNOR

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