

STATE OF MINNESOTA

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

WHEREAS, from May 15 through July 4, the volunteer United States Savings Bonds Committees in each state, county and city of the nation will conduct a bond campaign with the theme, "SAVE FOR YOUR INDEPENDENCE"; and

WHEREAS, today, as always, regular saving is a self-reliant way toward attaining personal security and the strengthening of our nation; and

WHEREAS, the United States Savings Bond Committee in your city and county deserves your support to make this campaign another great stride forward on our common path to a richer future for ourselves and our children; and

WHEREAS, the Minnesota quota for this campaign is \$15,143,000;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, LUTHER W. YOUNGBLANK, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby call upon the leaders and members of all organizations dedicated to community service, and all men and women who are able, to volunteer to help the local committees reach every possible bond buyer. I further call upon employers and employees to expand further the Payroll Savings Plan for the regular purchase of bonds on partial payments and urge all others to buy Savings Bonds as regularly as possible at their banks, savings and loan associations or post offices. The symbol of this bond campaign is the Liberty Bell. Just as the Bell rang to proclaim liberty to all the land in 1776, let the bells of our State ring out at noon on May 15 and flags be displayed on that day to usher in this Savings Bonds Independence Drive.

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 Saint Paul this eleventh day of April in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and fifty and of the state, the ninety-second.

Luther W. Youngblank
GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

W. H. H. H.
SECRETARY OF STATE

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