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STATE OF MINNESOTA

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

A Proclamation for "Mental Health Friendship Day"

WHEREAS, the people of Minnesota are committed to the objectives of providing the mentally ill with humane and modern treatment; and

WHEREAS, the success of this program and the eventual recovery of mental patients is affected by public attitudes and understanding; and

WHEREAS, the Office of the Commissioner of Mental Health, in cooperation with the Minnesota Council for Mental Health and other agencies, has called the state-wide Minnesota Mental Health Conference to meet at the Ancker State Hospital on October 4th to stimulate friendly attitudes to the mentally ill; and

WHEREAS, the City of Ancker, its officials and citizens alike, by its past cooperation with the state hospital and its current preparation for this event, has shown its friendship to mental patients;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, LOUISE B. YOUNGBLAD, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim October 4, 1950, as

"MENTAL HEALTH FRIENDSHIP DAY"

and call on the citizens of Minnesota to observe this day with appropriate activities to demonstrate the friendship of the well to the sick.

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 this twentieth day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty and of the State, the ninety-third.

Louise B. Youngblad
GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

Miss Helen
SECRETARY OF STATE

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