

STATE OF MINNESOTA

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

A proclamation for "Cooperative Month"

WHEREAS, great strides of progress have been made in agriculture through cooperative effort in processing, marketing, and distributing products of the farm, and through joint effort in securing goods and services to increase production and to improve farm life, and

WHEREAS, neighbors have banded together to become partners in cooperative business enterprises in these fields and these business ventures have brought benefits not only to producers and consumers among their member-partners but to the general public, and

WHEREAS, some of the most fruitful effort in establishing these member-owned businesses originated in the great state of Minnesota and spread over the entire United States,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, C. ELMER ANDERSON, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the month of October to be

"COOPERATIVE MONTH"

in recognition of the pioneering of our citizens in this field and in recognition of the importance of these business and industrial ventures in the economy of 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 this eighth day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and Fifty-two and of the state the ninety-fifth.

C. Elmer Anderson
GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

H. H. Chastain
SECRETARY OF STATE

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