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A PROCLAMATION FOR "SENIOR CITIZENS WEEK"

WHEREAS, the great heritage and prestige which has brought national recognition to Minnesota during this centennial year is due largely to the pioneering efforts of our senior citizens; and

WHEREAS, the senior citizens of Minnesota now number over 800,000 and are increasing over 8,000 annually; and

WHEREAS, we are starting our second century of statehood; and

WHEREAS, a Conference on Aging has been called during November to study ways in which our state can most effectively conserve and utilize the vast reservoir of knowledge and experience of our senior citizens;

NOW THEREFORE, I, Orville L. Freeman, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of November 9 - 16, 1958 as

"SENIOR CITIZENS WEEK"

and sincerely request all Minnesotans, churches, agencies and organizations, to give special attention during this week to the contributions of our Senior Citizens, and to their needs in today's modern society.

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 twenty-eighth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-eight and of the State, the one hundred first.

Orville L. Freeman
GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

Joseph L. Donovan
SECRETARY OF STATE

STATE OF MINNESOTA
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
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