

A PROCLAMATION FOR "NATIONAL BARBER WEEK"

WHEREAS, the art of barbering has long been an honored calling; and

WHEREAS, in ever-soothing the good grooming of his fellows, the barber makes an important contribution to individual and community welfare; and

WHEREAS, the ancient merger of the barbering and medical arts is still reflected today in a commendable interest by barbers in health and hygiene; and

WHEREAS, the barber has won a place in American folklore as the prototype of a friendly, communicative and informed person; and his shop has won a similar status as a symbol of good fellowship, harmony and wholesome fun; and

WHEREAS, barbers are, in fact, keenly interested in community affairs and active participants in them; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting that barbers be given appropriate recognition;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ORVILLE L. FREEMAN, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of September 14 through September 19, 1959 as

"NATIONAL BARBER WEEK"

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 sixth day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-nine and of the State the one hundred second.

*Orville L. Freeman*  
GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

*Joseph L. Donovan*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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