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STATE OF MINNESOTA
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Joseph L. Donovan
Secretary of State

A PROCLAMATION FOR "NATIONAL GARDEN WEEK"

WHEREAS, Minnesotans can take a great deal of pride in the natural resources in our state where the beauty of our famed Arrowhead country, fertile farmlands and the endless array of natural flowers attracts visitors from all over the country during the summer season; and

WHEREAS, this year we personally can add to this natural abundance in our homes and neighborhoods through gardening, one of the most enjoyable ways to bring a fresh, new look into our communities; and

WHEREAS, civic minded communities which take pride in their surroundings, may be identified by the many gardens located in their areas; and

WHEREAS, since Minnesota is a state with many garden clubs and citizens who take pride in their property, it is fitting and proper to join in this observance of National Garden Week.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Orville L. Freeman, Governor of the State of Minnesota hereby proclaim the week of April 17 to April 23, 1960 as

"NATIONAL GARDEN WEEK"

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and sealed the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this fourteenth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty and of the state the one hundred second.

Orville L. Freeman
GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

Joseph L. Donovan
SECRETARY OF STATE