

A PROCLAMATION FOR "FUTURE FARMER WEEK"

WHEREAS, the Future Farmers of America motto -- "Learning to do, doing to learn; coming to live, living to serve" -- establishes a direction of purpose for the future leaders of our nation's largest single industry, agriculture, and

WHEREAS, the Future Farmers of America state goal is to teach sound living habits, develop leadership and promote good citizenship among its members, thereby encouraging them to participate in community affairs and to contribute significantly to the success and progress of the agricultural economy of our state and nation, and

WHEREAS, this year marks the thirty-first anniversary of the Minnesota Association of the Future Farmers of America, an organization composed of 22,500 active members who are studying vocational agriculture in 201 secondary schools, preparing young men for careers in agriculture;

DOI, THOMPSON, E. Peter L. Anderson, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of February 27 through 29 as

"FUTURE FARMER WEEK"

and urge all citizens to be cognizant of the many contributions made to our state by the Future Farmers of America and to encourage the further development and growth of this organization for our own youth.

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 fourth day February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-one and of the state, the one hundred third.

Elmer L. Anderson
GOVERNOR

Joseph L. Sondwan
SECRETARY OF STATE

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