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A PROCLAMATION FOR COOLING SYSTEM MAINTENANCE WEEK

WHEREAS, each year 11.5% of all accidents resulting from miscellaneous highway obstructions were caused by stationary vehicles on the highway, and

WHEREAS, many of the stationary vehicles were immobilized by mechanical failure, and

WHEREAS, it is the duty of every citizen to keep his vehicles in safe, sound, mechanical condition, and

WHEREAS, one of the most vital, but most neglected components of modern automotive vehicles is the cooling system, and

WHEREAS, automotive cooling system failure is a common cause of holiday traffic jams which endanger and inconvenience hundreds of thousands of motorists,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Elmer L. Anderson, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of May 15 through May 21, 1961, as

"COOLING SYSTEM MAINTENANCE WEEK"

and urge all our citizens to have their vehicles thoroughly serviced and prepared for summer driving, paying special attention to the draining, cleaning and protection of the cooling system as their contribution to the safety of themselves, their family and fellow citizens on America's highways.

TO 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 first day of May 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

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SECRETARY OF STATE