

## PROCLAMATION

- WHEREAS, the School Safety Patrol is a well-established school sufety activity in the State of Minnesota; and
- WHEREAS, this community organization of volunteers is comprised of more than 30,000 boys and girls; and
- WHEREAS, they watch over a majority of the 900,000 students of the public, private and parachial schools of the state to remind the students of safe walking rules; and
- WHEREAS, the Patrol helps to preserve the lives and health of these young students during trips to and from school and playgrounds, on school buses and rural byways, by instilling an avareness of the ever-changing and challenging traffic situation; and
- WHEREAS, the Patrol works amid the most complex traffic conditions and in all types of weather to insure the safety of our young people with a spirit of dedication to duty deserving of our wholehearted appreciation and commendation;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Elmer L. Andersen, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of February 16 - 23, 1963, as

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in Minnesota and urge all citizens to extend support to the School Safety Patrol program in their communities and further recommend that we commend our Patrol members individually and collectively for their efforts bring a greater degree of safety to our sphool children, staying alert to their presence and abiding by the rules and regulations governing their control over the students and the traffic.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this eleventh day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred sixty-three and of the State, the one hundred fifth.

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SECRETARY OF STATE