

STATE OF MINNESOTA
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
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Joseph L. Sonawan
Secretary of State

PROCLAMATION

- WHEREAS, the International Toastmistress Clubs have as their aim the self-development of leadership qualities in women throughout the world, and
- WHEREAS, the Toastmistress Clubs endeavor to further a climate of intellectual and academic freedom, without bias toward political, social, economic racial or religious topics, and
- WHEREAS, the Toastmistress Clubs are giving the women of the world, through the Clubs' high objectives, a chance to become better citizens through a deeper understanding of domestic and international relationships, and
- WHEREAS, the Toastmistress Clubs recognize the ability to communicate and the use of the spoken word as most important to freedom of expression in the world today,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Elmer L. Andersen, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of April 14, 1963 as

"INTERNATIONAL TOASTMISTRESS WEEK"

in Minnesota, and urge all citizens to take note thereof and to give their full attention and participation to the recognition of these women in the part they are playing in attaining these high objectives.

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 twenty-first day of February in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty three, and of the State, the one hundred fifth.

Elmer L. Andersen
GOVERNOR

Joseph L. Sonawan
SECRETARY OF STATE

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