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A PROCLAMATION FOR "DON'T BE A LITTERBUG" YEAR

- WHEREAS, Minnesota's outstanding attraction for visitors is the beauty and scenic grandeur with which it has been endowed, and
- WHEREAS, it is the responsibility of all citizens to preserve this beauty, and
- WHEREAS, the scenic beauty of our highways, wooded areas, lakes and hills are a sounce of pleasure to all, and these areas, as well as our urban communities, must be guarded by continued public avareness of the unsightly effect of debris and litter, and
- WHEREAS, the campaign against litter has been aided in large measure by the Izaak Walton League which is now observing its Forty-first Anniversary,

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

"DON'T BE A LITTERBUG YEAR"

in Minnesota and urge all citizens to recognize their responsibility to the success of this important program.

> 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 of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixtythree, and of the state the one hundred fifth.