

PROCLAMATION

MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS MONTH

WHEREAS, multiple sclerosis is the most serious disease of young adults, attacking in the 20 to 40 year age group; and

WHEREAS, there are more known victims of multiple sclerosis in Minnesota - 6,000 to 7,000 cases, than in any other state in the nation; and

WHEREAS, there is an urgent need for national research programs that will eventually find a cure for multiple sclerosis; and

WHEREAS, additional funds are needed to purchase and provide appliances and equipment for multiple sclerosis patients upon recommendation of their own physicians; and

WHEREAS, funds also are needed to underwrite a grant to Visiting Nurse Service so that trained nurses can go into the homes of multiple sclerosis patients and give them nursing care;

NOT, THEREFORE, I, Karl F. Rolvadag, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the month of May, 1963 as

MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS MONTH

and urge all Minnesotans to respond generously to the fund-raising appeal made this month by the Minnesota Chapters of the National Multiple Sclerosis Society.

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 Capital this thirteenth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred sixty-three and of the State, the one hundred fifth.

Karl F. Rolvadag
GOVERNOR

Jacques L. Danison
SECRETARY OF STATE

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