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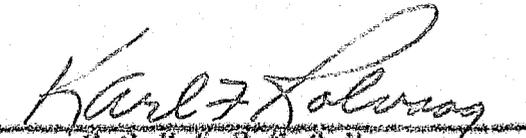
- WHEREAS, George Washington Carver was one of America's great and most highly respected and honored scientists; and
- WHEREAS, George Washington Carver's achievements serve as a constant reminder and a reaffirmation of our belief in brotherhood among men of all races and creeds; and
- WHEREAS, January 5, 1964, marks the anniversary of George Washington Carver's death in 1943; and
- WHEREAS, This date has been selected to inaugurate the year-long Carver Centennial Celebration to commemorate the 100th anniversary of the birth of this great Negro scientist and humanitarian,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Karl F. Rolvaag, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim January 5, 1964, as

"GEORGE WASHINGTON CARVER DAY"

in Minnesota and I urge all citizens to take note of the achievements and the contributions of this great American to our way of life and to the cause of brotherhood and understanding throughout the world.

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 January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-four, and of the State the one hundred seventh.

  
GOVERNOR

  
SECRETARY OF STATE