

STATE OF MINNESOTA  
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PROCLAMATION

- WHEREAS, the people of Minnesota are dependent upon the natural resources -- soils, water, forests, grasslands, air, minerals, and wildlife -- to sustain life and contribute to the commerce, agriculture and recreation, and
- WHEREAS, pollution in all forms is a serious threat to wildlife, property values and to human health and welfare, and
- WHEREAS, pollution of the air, water, and soil can effect the economic and social values of the communities of this state, and
- WHEREAS, prevention and control of pollution in all its forms must become the responsibility of each citizen of this nation, and
- WHEREAS, March 14-20, 1965, will be observed across the nation as NATIONAL WILDLIFE WEEK, a time during which every community, industry, and any user of water, soil and air will pledge that the control and prevention of all forms of pollution will be actively pursued. This nation cannot afford any longer to despoil and destroy its life-giving natural resources, the air, soil, and water,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Karl F. Rolvaag, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim March 14-20, 1965, as

"NATIONAL WILDLIFE WEEK"

in Minnesota, and urge every citizen to take an active interest in this year's observance of National Wildlife Week.

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 tenth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-five and of the State, the one hundred seventh.

*Karl F. Rolvaag*  
GOVERNOR

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