

P R O C L A M A T I O N

WHEREAS, music, often described as the universal language, is one of the great arts; and its value is recognized as a source of enrichment for our lives, and

WHEREAS, the Parade of American Music, sponsored by the National Federation of Music Clubs, is featured throughout the month of February with the design to give due recognition to America's music traditions and to encourage and support worthy United States composers, and

WHEREAS, the Minnesota Federation of Music Clubs is a component part of the National Federation and joins in the Parade with its notable purposes,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Harold LeVander, Governor of the State of Minnesota, in recognition of United States creative musical artists and America's music traditions, do hereby proclaim February as

"AMERICAN MUSIC MONTH"

in Minnesota, and urge all our citizens to join in the observance of American Music Month through appreciation and enjoyment of American Music.

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 sixteenth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-seven and of the State, the one hundred tenth.

Harold LeVander

GOVERNOR

Joseph L. Darraman
SECRETARY OF STATE

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