

STATE OF MINNESOTA
DEPARTMENT OF STATE

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Secretary of State

PROCLAMATION

- WHEREAS, during the month of February the citizens of the United States of America will be celebrating the birthdays of two resolute American patriots and famous Presidents, GEORGE WASHINGTON AND ABRAHAM LINCOLN, and
- WHEREAS, the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, is sponsoring February as American History Month throughout the Nation, and
- WHEREAS, it is becoming more and more important for each person of this great Nation to have a true understanding of the history of these United States,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Harold LeVander, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the month of February, 1968, as

"AMERICAN HISTORY MONTH"

in Minnesota, and call upon all organizations and upon public, parochial and private schools to emphasize the study of American History during this designated month. By stressing the great spiritual strength and wisdom, our forefathers displayed, and learning more about the carefully worded documents on which our freedom is based, we contribute to greater understanding for future generations.

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 thirty-first day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-eight and of the State, the one hundred tenth.

Harold LeVander
GOVERNOR

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