

PROCLAMATION

- WHEREAS, March 24, 1969 will be the 50th anniversary of the Law enacted by the Minnesota Legislature granting women the right to vote; and
- WHEREAS, that date also marks the opening of the Golden Anniversary for the League of Women Voters of Minnesota; the successor to the National American Women Suffrage Association that championed the extension of voting citizenship to women; and
- WHEREAS, the purpose of the law and the continuing purpose of The League of Women Voters of Minnesota is mutual, to promote political responsibility through informed and active participation of citizens in government; and
- WHEREAS, The League of Women Voters has made and is continuing to make substantial contributions to the Quality of Life in Minnesota through its educational and legislative action program; and
- WHEREAS, it is incumbent that we properly recognize these historic and significant achievements that have strengthened and improved representative government in Minnesota

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Harold Levander, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of March 24 through March 30, 1969

"LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS WEEK"

in Minnesota, and urge all citizens to join with me and the members of the Minnesota State Legislature in honoring the League of Women Voters for their efforts in education, and also in recognizing the important role women in general have played in the State government of Minnesota.

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 twelfth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-nine, and of the State, the one hundred eleventh.

Harold Levander
GOVERNOR

Joseph L. Donovan
SECRETARY OF STATE

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