

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the fire service of the State of Minnesota is among the most important services rendered to the residents of this State, and

WHEREAS, the hundreds of fire fighters in the State of Minnesota are faced with the inherent and extreme hazards of fire fighting, and thus do hourly risk injury and death in their given tasks of saving lives, fighting fires and protecting properties, and

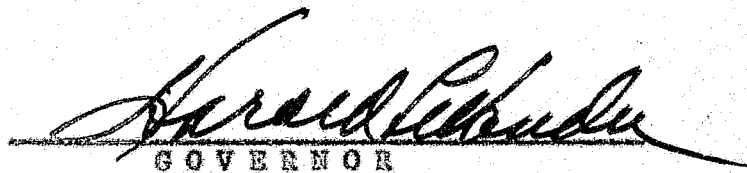
WHEREAS, the countless unclaimed instances of deeds of heroic and epic life saving and fire fighting that they have performed exemplify their great sense and spirit of dedication and devotion to duty and service to their fellow man,

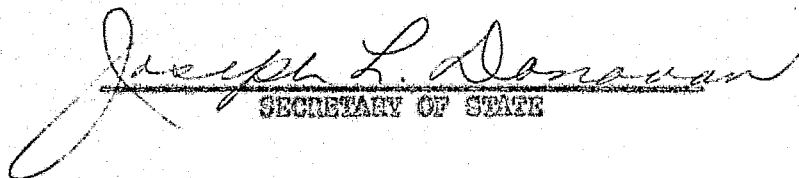
NOW, THEREFORE, I, Harold LeVander, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Saturday, May 10, 1969, as

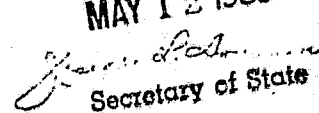
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in Minnesota, and urge that all citizens make proper recognition of this most noble, heroic and hazardous pursuit.

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

  
GOVERNOR

  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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