

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS: Opportunities Industrialization Centers of America has grown progressively from its humble founding over eight years ago in an abandoned Philadelphia (Penna.) jailhouse to become an outstanding international manpower training agency with branches in 105 cities throughout the United States as well as in Africa, and Latin America, and

WHEREAS: Reverend Leon H. Sullivan, Founder and Chairman of the Board in recognition of the exemplary record of new and sorely needed fresh start on the road to dignity and improvement of the quality of their lives and the lives of their families,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Wendell R. Anderson, Governor of the State of Minnesota do hereby proclaim October 9 - 13, 1972 as

TWIN CITIES OIC WEEK

in accordance with the organization's theme "Everybody Can Be Somebody", call upon our citizens to participate in and enjoy the special programs arranged for OIC Day Observance in order that all citizens will be encouraged to assist OIC in its noble mission, thus improving our nation.

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 twenty-eighth day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventy-two and of the State, the one hundred fifteenth.

*Wendell R. Anderson*  
GOVERNOR

*Arlen J. Edahl*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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