

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

WHEREAS: the language of Latin is the bridge which links the modern world with the ancient world; and

WHEREAS: Latin is the key with which we can best unlock the treasures of our own language and heritage; and

WHEREAS: Latin provided a foundation for the solving of the problems of today by studying their ancient counterparts; and

WHEREAS: students who wish to exercise their mind by means of a precise and disciplined study find the language of Latin an enjoyable and rewarding challenge for their pursuit; and

WHEREAS: through the study of Latin, a student can better orient himself toward a useful and satisfying life; and

WHEREAS: the Junior Classical League is an organization of young people who appreciate the civilization, language, literature, and art of ancient Greece and Rome; and

WHEREAS: as a result of their studies, members of the League have a better understanding of the debt our culture owes to that of classical antiquity; and

WHEREAS: the Twentieth Annual Minnesota Junior Classical League convention will be held at Anoka Senior High School on March 17, 1973;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Wendell R. Anderson, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim March 11 through March 17, 1973, as

LATIN WEEK

in Minnesota.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Governor's 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 seventy-three and of the State the one hundred and fifteenth.

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