



# Proclamation

WHEREAS: *the first Beta Sigma Phi Chapter was formed in Abilene, Kansas, in April 1931 with only seven members and is now an international organization with 220,000 members; and*

WHEREAS: *the sorority's purpose is threefold - cultural, service, and social, with projects handled on a continual basis as the needs of the people arise; and*

WHEREAS: *Beta Sigma Phi's throughout the world celebrate Founder's Day each year on April 30, this year being the 43rd anniversary of its founding;*

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Wendell R. Anderson, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of April 27 through May 5, 1974 as

## NATIONAL BETA SIGMA PHI WEEK

*in Minnesota, and urge all citizens to take proper recognition of the contribution made by this group to the State 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 tenth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventy-four and of the State the one hundred and sixteenth.

*Wendell R. Anderson*

GOVERNOR

*Arden J. Erdahl*

SECRETARY OF STATE

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