



Proclamation

WHEREAS: *in recognition of all the dedicated persons of every age and from all segments of our society who give freely and willingly of themselves to serve as volunteers in all areas where they can be helpful to others; and*

WHEREAS: *in gratitude for the millions of hours of time, the varied talents, unlimited energy and creative efforts which these volunteers devote to improving the quality of life in their communities; and*

WHEREAS: *to encourage increased volunteer activity and broader citizen participation; and*

WHEREAS: *the first National Conference on Voluntarism, People Power, will be convened in Minnesota, April 22 - 25, offering an opportunity for discussion of issues of mutual concern for volunteers and providing a forum wherein leaders of the voluntary sector may determine new directions for the future of the volunteer movement;*

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Wendell R. Anderson, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim April 21 - 27 as

VOLUNTEER WEEK

in 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 sixteenth 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

Arlen J. Erdahl

SECRETARY OF STATE

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