



# Proclamation

WHEREAS: the incidence of respiratory ailments is rising at an alarming rate across the country and is now the number three killer-disease; and

WHEREAS: since its founding in 1899, the National Jewish Hospital and Research Center in Denver has provided almost 57,027 days of care to citizens of the State of Minnesota suffering from various respiratory disorders regardless of their race, creed, age, origin or ability to pay; and

WHEREAS: the National Jewish Hospital and Research Center is a national medical center for chronic respiratory diseases and has gained world-wide recognition for its many contributions to help alleviate the dread effects of various respiratory diseases including asthma, tuberculosis, emphysema, chronic bronchitis, cystic fibrosis, and allied respiratory and immunological disorders; and

WHEREAS: the National Jewish Hospital and Research Center continues to make the benefits of its patient-care, research and medical education facilities available for the benefit of the citizens of Minnesota and for citizens throughout the Nation;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Wendell R. Anderson, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim June 1976 to be

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BREATH OF FRESH HOPE MONTH

in Minnesota, in recognition of the many contributions National Jewish Hospital and Research Center has made to the health of the citizens of this State.

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 seventeenth day of May in the year one thousand nine hundred seventy-six and of the State the one hundred eighteenth.

*Wendell R. Anderson*

GOVERNOR

*Joan Anderson*

SECRETARY OF STATE

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*Joan Anderson*  
Secretary of State