



Proclamation

WHEREAS: Minnesota has long enjoyed a national reputation as a state that offers "the good life" where its friendly citizens love music; and

WHEREAS: Minnesota has many outstanding choral groups whose members sing as professionals or simply for the joy best expressed in heartfelt song; and

WHEREAS: directors of the Associated Male Choruses of America, representing associations from all over the United States and Canada, will convene in New Ulm on Saturday, April 23, for a day-long business meeting; and

WHEREAS: in the evening, the Concord Singers of New Ulm will sponsor the "Big Sing", made up of sixteen male choruses -- some 500 male voices -- from the Upper Midwest and Canada;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Saturday, April 23, 1977 to be

BIG SING DAY

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 thirteenth day of April in the year one thousand nine hundred seventy-seven and of the State the one hundred nineteenth.

GOVERNOR

SECRETARY OF STATE

STATE OF MINNESOTA
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
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Joan Anderson Howe
Secretary of State