



Proclamation

WHEREAS: *handicapped persons in Central Minnesota are unable to participate in many life activities of society because of inaccessibility to disabled persons; and*

WHEREAS: *a real effort must be made in Central Minnesota to eliminate barriers to employment, housing, education, public services, and public accommodations; and*

WHEREAS: *the general public needs to be educated as to the accessibility problems which handicapped persons in Central Minnesota must deal with in their everyday living; and*

WHEREAS: *the St. Cloud Area Council for the Handicapped and the Minnesota State Council for the Handicapped are sponsoring an Awareness Day on Handicapped Persons, Friday, April 15, 1977;*

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Friday, April 15, 1977 as

AWARENESS DAY ON HANDICAPPED PERSONS

in Central Minnesota, and urge all citizens to participate.

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 of our Lord one thousand nine hundred seventy-seven and of the State the one hundred nineteenth.

Rudy Perpich
GOVERNOR

Joan Anderson Geave
SECRETARY OF STATE

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