



Proclamation

WHEREAS: agriculture is Minnesota's number one industry; and

WHEREAS: Minnesota is one of the key food processing states in the nation; and

WHEREAS: schools serve more meals than any other organization in Minnesota; and

WHEREAS: approximately 550,000 school children receive one-third of their daily nutritional requirements from this program; and

WHEREAS: Minnesota's agricultural industry is an important source of a wide variety of high quality foods; and

WHEREAS: the school lunch program is an important market for Minnesota agriculture products;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the second week in January as

ALL MINNESOTA FOODS WEEK IN ALL MINNESOTA SCHOOLS

and urge all schools of this state to participate in serving complete menus of food purchased and processed 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 twelfth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred seventy-eight and of the State the one hundred twentieth.

Rudy Perpich

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