



Proclamation

WHEREAS: *the Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary, representing some 46,000 Minnesota women, has recognized the need for a campaign to curb pedestrian fatalities; and*

WHEREAS: *the VFW Auxiliary has joined with the Minnesota Safety Council, the Minnesota Council of Churches and the Minnesota Department of Public Safety to promote pedestrian safety in Minnesota communities throughout the state; and*

WHEREAS: *pedestrian fatalities in Minnesota increased substantially in 1977, indicating a need for concern for physical safety as well as spiritual safety;*

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim March 12, 1978 as

PEDESTRIAN SAFETY SUNDAY

in Minnesota, and urge all Minnesota religious denominations to join in promoting public awareness of procedures to make pedestrians safer in our 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 third day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred seventy-eight and of the State the one hundred twentieth.

Rudy Perpich
GOVERNOR

Jean Anderson Krause
SECRETARY OF STATE

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