



# Proclamation

WHEREAS: music is a vital part of the culture of every civilized nation, and the people of the United States are proving themselves to be a great music-producing and music-loving nation; and

WHEREAS: it is incumbent upon all of us to join together to advance the cause of music as an art and harmonious force, and to extend the radius of its influence among nations, groups, and individuals; and

WHEREAS: the pursuit of music, whether it be through study, composing, listening, performing, or participation, gives rich experiences in human life; and

WHEREAS: the National Federation of Music Clubs through National Music Week provides an opportunity for the organized musical forces of the country, as well as religious and educational and civic groups to join music lovers in emphasizing the joys and pleasures to be gained from making music; and

WHEREAS: the period of May 7 through May 14, 1978 will mark the 55th annual observance of National Music Week;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of May 7 through May 14, 1978 to be

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in Minnesota, and urge all citizens in every community to participate in making music, to foster a deeper appreciation for musical talent, and to encourage with interest and enthusiasm the music programs offered in special events arranged for this week.

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 fifth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred seventy-eight and of the State the one hundred twentieth.

The signature of Rudy Perpich, Governor of Minnesota, written in cursive ink.

GOVERNOR

The signature of Jean Anderson Krause, Secretary of State, written in cursive ink.

SECRETARY OF STATE

STATE OF MINNESOTA  
DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
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