



Proclamation

WHEREAS: public works services provided in our state are an integral part of our citizens' everyday lives; and

WHEREAS: the support of an understanding and informed citizenry is vital to the planning and construction of public works programs and systems such as water, sewer, streets, highways and other types of facilities; and

WHEREAS: the health, sanitation, safety and general well-being of this state depends, to a great degree, on these services and facilities; and

WHEREAS: the quality, efficiency, and effectiveness of these facilities, as well as the planning, design and construction of future facilities, is vitally dependent upon our public works engineers, administrators and technicians; and

WHEREAS: retaining and attracting qualified and dedicated personnel to staff public works departments at all levels of government is materially influenced by the people's attitude and understanding of importance of the work performed by such employees;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of May 21 through May 27, 1978 to be

NATIONAL PUBLIC WORKS WEEK

in Minnesota, and call upon all citizens and civic organizations to acquaint themselves with the problems involved in providing public works facilities and services; and recognize the important role in our safety, health and well-being that is played by the public works officials 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 ninth day of May 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 Howe
SECRETARY OF STATE

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