

## Proclamation

WHEREAS: musical expression of young people constitutes a significant extra-curricular activity which is an important goal of our educational system in this state; and

WHEREAS: countless hours of practice along with the untiring efforts and enthusiastic support of many individuals and organizations are some of the characteristics which comprise an outstanding young people's band; and

WHEREAS: the Solent Youth Concert Band, one of England's foremost young people's brass bands, from Portsmouth, England, will be playing in Chatfield, Minnesota, the smallest town on their concert tour through the United States; and

WHEREAS: Chatfield, known nationally and internationally as "Band Town, U.S.A.", will be honored to host the guest concert of the Solent Youth Band on Tuesday, August 8, at 7:30 p.m.;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Tuesday, August 8, 1978 to be

SOLENT YOUTH BAND DAY

in Minnesota, and heartily welcome these fine, young musicians to our state with the best wishes of all our citizens.

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

GOVERNOR

STATE OF MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF STATE F, I L E D AUG - 4 1978

> Gen Cholesen Shows Secretary of State

> > #31604

JECRETARY OF STATE