

# Proclamation

WHEREAS: *the second week in September of every year is National Hispanic Week by Presidential Declaration; and*

WHEREAS: *it is fitting and proper that time be set aside in the State of Minnesota to recognize and honor our residents of Hispanic Heritage; and*

WHEREAS: *this population has contributed, through their diligence and effort, to the state's agricultural and industrial economies; and*

WHEREAS: *their proud heritage and rich culture have enriched the state's social and cultural life; and*

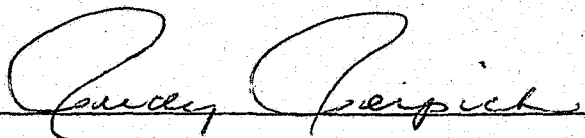
WHEREAS: *their Spanish language and bilingual traditions have added an exciting new dimension to our educational opportunities;*

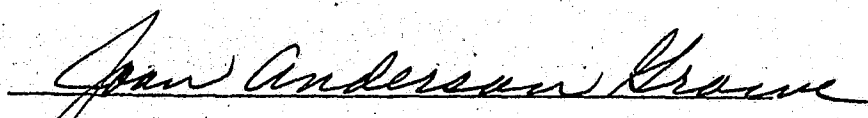
NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of September 10 through September 16, 1978 to be

## HISPANIC HERITAGE WEEK

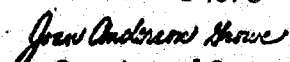
*in Minnesota.*

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

  
GOVERNOR

  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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