

Proclamation

WHEREAS: The Second Minnesota Light Artillery is a historical military unit organized under the auspices of the Stearns County Historical Society; and

WHEREAS: The Second Minnesota Light Artillery authentically and realistically recreates the appearance of the Second Battery of Light Artillery mustered into Federal service in 1862; and

WHEREAS: The Second Minnesota Light Artillery is a nonprofit organization which appears in parades, memorial ceremonies and town celebrations throughout the state;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Albert H. Quie, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim that the

SECOND MINNESOTA LIGHT ARTILLERY

be designated and honorarily commissioned as an official historical unit, representing Minnesota's participation in the Civil War from 1862 to 1865.

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 seventh day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred seventy-nine, and of the State the one hundred twenty-second.

Albert H. Quie

GOVERNOR

Jean Anderson Graver
SECRETARY OF STATE

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