



## Proclamation

WHEREAS: THE USE OF ALCOHOL, AND OTHER DRUGS, HAS CONTINUED TO CAUSE BOTH HEALTH AND SOCIAL PROBLEMS FOR MANY CITIZENS OF OUR STATE; AND

WHEREAS: IT HAS BEEN SHOWN THAT PERSONAL AND FAMILY INVOLVEMENT IN ANY OF A NUMBER OF PHYSICAL OR MENTAL ALTERNATIVES CAN GIVE THE PERSON GREATER SATISFACTION THAN DOES THE USE OF ALCOHOL OR OTHER DRUGS; AND

WHEREAS: THE RICE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS HAS DEMONSTRATED CONCERN FOR THESE PROBLEMS THROUGH DECLARING "WE CARE WEEK" IN RICE COUNTY; AND

WHEREAS: THE STATE OF MINNESOTA IS EAGER TO PARTICIPATE IN PROGRAMS TO BRING WIDESPREAD AWARENESS TO THE PROBLEMS OF ALCOHOL AND DRUG ABUSE;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ALBERT H. QUIE, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA DO HEREBY PROCLAIM MAY 18 THROUGH 24, 1980 TO BE

WE CARE WEEK

IN MINNESOTA, AND HAVE ASKED LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR LOU WANGBERG TO PREPARE THIS PROCLAMATION AND DISSEMINATE THE SAME. FURTHER, I URGE ALL CITIZENS TO STRIVE FOR A BETTER UNDERSTANDING, GREATER CONCERN, AND RENEWED EFFORTS TO REDUCE AND PREVENT THE CAUSES OF ALCOHOL AND DRUG ABUSE AND TO SEARCH FOR MORE POSITIVE WAYS TO DEAL WITH THE PROBLEMS AND PRESSURES OF LIFE.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, WE HAVE HEREUNTO SET OUR HANDS AND CAUSED THE GREAT SEAL OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA TO BE AFFIXED THIS TWENTY-FIRST DAY OF MAY IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY, AND OF THE STATE THE ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-THIRD.

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GOVERNOR  
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