

## Proclamation

WHEREAS: As people, we have been endowed not only with the blessings and benefits of our animal friends, who provide us with food, clothing and companionship, but also with a responsibility to protect them and show them kindness; and

WHEREAS: THE PEOPLE OF MINNESOTA ARE GRATEFUL TO THE MINNESOTA HUMANE Society for the contributions they have made in educating citizens in humane principles and promoting a spirit of kindness and consideration for animals in the minds and hearts of our citizens; and

WHEREAS: THE PEOPLE OF MINNESOTA RECOGNIZE THE VALUE OF TEACHING KINDNESS TO OUR YOUNG PEOPLE THROUGH HUMANE EDUCATION AND REALIZE THAT OUT OF KINDNESS TO ANIMALS GROWS KINDNESS AND LOVE FOR ALL HUMANITY;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ALBERT H. QUIE, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM THE WEEK OF MAY 3 THROUGH 9, 1981 TO BE

BE KIND TO ANIMALS WEEK

IN MINNESOTA, AND HAVE ASKED LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR LOU WANGBERG TO PREPARE THIS PROCLAMATION FOR MY SIGNATURE AND DISSEMINATE THE SAME, FURTHER, I URGE CITIZENS TO OBSERVE THIS WEEK THROUGH SHOWING RESPECT AND CONSIDERATION TO ANIMALS.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, WE HAVE HEREUNTO SET OUR HANDS AND CAUSED THE GREAT SEAL OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA TO BE AFFIXED THIS TWENTY-SECOND DAY OF April in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred eighty-one, and of the State the one hundred twenty-second.

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