

## **Proclamation**

WHEREAS: APRIL IS A TIME WHEN WE REJOICE IN NEW LIFE AND UNDERSTAND WITH CLARITY THE POWERFUL INFLUENCE OF NATURE ON OUR SPIRITS; AND

WHEREAS: Dr. Malcolm Hargraves was an outspoken and dedicated protector of our natural world, and served 40 years as a member of the conservation organization the Izaak Walton League, and held the offices of chapter, state and honorary national president; and

WHEREAS: Dr. Malcolm Hargraves delivered more than 1.300 broadcasts of a program called "You and the Out-of-Doors" on KROC radio in Rochester, between 1944 and 1972 - one of the Longest sustained programs in radio history; and

WHEREAS: Dr. Malcolm Hargraves was a frequent lecturer to conservation and farm groups, and helped to develop Minnesota conservation volunteer programs - as well being actively involved in game management, pollution, control, health and disease control; and

WHEREAS: DR. MALCOLM HARGRAVES RECEIVED NUMEROUS AWARDS FROM LOCAL, STATE AND NATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS FOR HIS CONSERVATION ACTIVITIES; AND

WHEREAS: Dr. Malcolm Hargraves died in March 1981 following a long illness, but has left behind many important contributions to the life of our state and nation;

NOW, THEREFORE, I. ALBERT H. QUIE, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM APRIL 25, 1981 TO BE

## MALCOLM HARGRAVES DAY

IN MINNESOTA, AND HAVE ASKED LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR LOU, WANGBERG TO PREPARE THIS PROCLAMATION FOR MY SIGNATURE. AND DISSEMINATE THE SAME, IN HONOR OF THIS DEDICATED CONSERVATIONIST AND HUMANITARIAN.

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.

GOVERNOR

Jan Anderson Graine

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