



Proclamation

WHEREAS: THE GROWING AND HARVESTING OF TREES AND THE MANUFACTURE OF WOOD AND PAPER PRODUCTS PLAY AN IMPORTANT AND FAR-REACHING PART IN THE ECONOMIC LIFE OF MINNESOTA; AND

WHEREAS: AS CONSUMER USE OF FOREST PRODUCTS IS PROJECTED TO DOUBLE WITHIN 50 YEARS, THE CHALLENGE OF PROVIDING AFFORDABLE WOOD AND PAPER WILL GROW PROPORTIONATELY; AND

WHEREAS: 45,000 MINNESOTANS WITHIN THE FOREST PRODUCTS INDUSTRY ARE WORKING TO MEET THIS CHALLENGE, INCLUDING THE EMPLOYEES OF PAPER AND WOOD PRODUCTS COMPANIES AND MINNESOTA'S 1,523 CERTIFIED TREE FARMERS; AND

WHEREAS: MINNESOTA'S FOREST PRODUCTS INDUSTRY IS WORKING TO FIND NEW WAYS THAT WILL MAKE THE MOST OF THE RENEWABLE RESOURCE THAT IS WOOD;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ALBERT H. QUIE, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA DO HEREBY PROCLAIM THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 18 THROUGH 24, 1981 TO BE

FOREST PRODUCTS 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 TAKE NOTE OF THE IMPORTANT ROLE PLAYED BY FOREST PRODUCTS IN OUR DAILY LIVES AND IN MINNESOTA'S ECONOMIC LIFE.

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

Albert H. Quie
GOVERNOR

Lou Wangberg
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Jean Anderson Kneue
SECRETARY OF STATE

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Secretary of State

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