



Proclamation

WHEREAS: THE STUDY OF ASTRONOMY WAS THE FORERUNNER OF ALL SCIENTIFIC ENDEAVORS; AND

WHEREAS: THIS COUNTRY'S ASTRONOMICAL RESEARCH AND SPACE PROGRAM HAVE PROVIDED SCIENTIFIC, PHILOSOPHICAL, ECONOMICAL AND TECHNOLOGICAL BENEFITS INVOLVING INNUMERABLE AREAS OF CONCERN TO THE HUMAN RACE; AND

WHEREAS: MINNESOTA'S ASTRONOMICAL COMMUNITY, PLANETARIUMS, MUSEUMS, AND OBSERVATORIES HAVE DILIGENTLY ENDEAVORED IN EDUCATING MINNESOTANS IN THE POPULARIZED SCIENCE OF ASTRONOMY; AND

WHEREAS: AT THE PROFESSIONAL LEVEL, MANY MINNESOTA COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES ARE RECOGNIZED NATIONALLY AND INTERNATIONALLY FOR THEIR SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH AND SOCIAL BENEFACTOR TO FOSTER, ENCOURAGE AND PROMOTE THE STUDY OF ASTRONOMY AND RELATED SCIENCES; AND

WHEREAS: ON SATURDAY, MAY 1, 1982, THE MINNESOTA ASTRONOMICAL SOCIETY WILL SPONSOR PUBLIC EXHIBITS, DEMONSTRATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS ON VARIOUS ASPECTS OF ASTRONOMY AT THE MINNESOTA ZOOLOGICAL GARDEN, AND PUBLIC OBSERVING SESSIONS TO TELESCOPICALLY VIEW THE PLANETS FROM COMO PARK CONSERVATORY IN ST. PAUL, AND PEARL NEIGHBORHOOD CENTER IN MINNEAPOLIS;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ALBERT H. QUIE, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM SATURDAY, MAY 1, 1982 TO BE

A S T R O N O M Y D A Y

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 PARTICIPATE IN THE ACTIVITIES OBSERVING THIS DAY.

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

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