

Proclamation

- WHEREAS: Unleaded premium gasoline (ethanol enhanced) is a mixture of one part agriculturally-derived anhydrous ethanol and nine parts unleaded gasoline; and
- WHEREAS: Agriculture is the largest industry in Minnesota and most immediate converter of solar energy on a renewable basis; and
- WHEREAS: Minnesota recognizes that all of its petroleum needs are filled from sources outside the state; and
- WHEREAS: The benefits of this emerging industry include improved engine performance, cleaner air and water, especially in urban areas, and a revitalized state economy; and
- WHEREAS: The establishment of grain processing facilities have a value-added effect for the raw materials and encourage new industrial development, which creates jobs and infuses an economic stability; and
- WHEREAS: In Minnesota, activities will center around Farm Fest 83, where the Minnesota Fuel Alcohol Association, National Alternative Energy Association, and Farm Fest organizers will prepare a program in recognition of the National Alternative Energy Month designed to appeal to citizens and tourists throughout the United States;

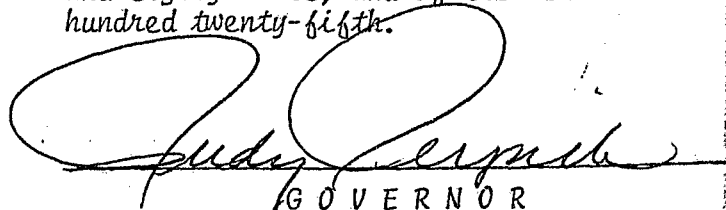
NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the month of August 1983 to be

NATIONAL ALTERNATIVE ENERGY MONTH

in Minnesota.

FURTHER, I urge States to organize programs which recognize the potentials of alternative energy, and I urge citizens to join in observing National Alternative Energy Month by participating in the various programs.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this fourth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-three, and of the State the one hundred twenty-fifth.



GOVERNOR

STATE OF MINNESOTA
DEPARTMENT OF STATE

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Joan Anderson Grouse
Secretary of State



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