



Proclamation

WHEREAS: 1983 marks the 100th year of the Minneapolis Park and Recreation System; and

WHEREAS: The Park and Recreation Board wishes to call special attention to this significant event in the history of Minneapolis; and

WHEREAS: This nationally recognized system has been a major contributor to the quality of life in Minneapolis; and

WHEREAS: There is a strong commitment to continue the tradition of improving our quality of life by developing and utilizing the Mississippi River as a major recreational resource; and

WHEREAS: During the centennial year celebration, special emphasis will be placed on "Wellness" and the positive impact Park and Recreation Board programs and facilities have on the health of our neighborhoods, communities and our city;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, encourage all residents and their guests to participate in the year long celebration honoring this park system. We pay tribute to the people of Minneapolis for their foresight in creating such a fine park and recreation system and look forward to the same dedication and effort during the next one hundred years.

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Joan Anderson Howe
Secretary of State

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

Joan Anderson Howe

Rudy Perpich
GOVERNOR