



Proclamation

WHEREAS: Farm Safety concerns every person regardless of age who is involved in the business of farming; and

WHEREAS: Farming is one of the most hazardous of all occupations which has resulted in about 1800 deaths nationally and 63 deaths in Minnesota during 1982; and

WHEREAS: Youngsters under the age of 15 years experienced nearly twice as many injuries than any other age group; and

WHEREAS: Our youth must be protected from all accidents by teaching them how to perform all of their farm activities safely; and

WHEREAS: This year's slogan is "Safeguard the Future - Protect and Educate";

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of September 18 through September 24, 1983, to be

FARM SAFETY WEEK

in Minnesota.

FURTHER, I urge all Minnesota farm people to exert all caution to prevent accidents harmful to our youth.

STATE OF MINNESOTA
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
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Secretary of State

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Rudy Perpich
Joan Anderson Howe

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 eighth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-three, and of the State the one hundred twenty-fifth.