



Proclamation

WHEREAS: The State of Minnesota, 63 years ago, established the nation's first school safety patrol in St. Paul on February 17, 1921, and created a model for today's nationwide school safety patrol program; and

WHEREAS: Minnesota continues to be a leader in school patrol activities which now involve more than 35,000 young Minnesotans; and

WHEREAS: These young school patrol workers have volunteered for positions of high responsibility and have contributed generously of their time to teach school children to respect important traffic safety rules; and

WHEREAS: The citizens of Minnesota annually express their gratitude to these young persons and honor them for valuable unselfish service;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of February 12 through February 18, 1984, to be

SCHOOL SAFETY PATROL WEEK

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Secretary of State

in Minnesota.

FURTHER, I urge that communities organize special programs to recognize the young people who so faithfully serve in the school safety patrol.

Rudy Perpich
Joan Anderson

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this thirty-first day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-four.

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