



Proclamation

- REAS: Dogs and cats have been special friends to humans for centuries and have offered us constant companionship, love and loyalty; and
- REAS: Pets provide many important benefits to their owners including companionship, friendship, loyalty, love and affection; and
- REAS: Community leaders, animal shelter personnel, veterinarians, community groups, schools and libraries will have the opportunity to work together toward one common goal; and
- REAS: Many animals are in need of new homes and more humane treatment by all; and
- REAS: The citizens of Minnesota, in association with the Pets Are Wonderful Council, hereby recognize the numerous benefits of pet ownership and the need for responsible pet care;

THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the month of February, 1984, to be

P E T S A R E W O N D E R F U L M O N T H

Minnesota.

Joan Anderson Stone
Rudy Perpich

STATE OF MINNESOTA
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
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Joan Anderson Stone
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 at the State Capitol this tenth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-four, and of the State the one hundred twenty-sixth

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