



## Proclamation

WHEREAS: The citizens of this nation in freedom won through great sacrifice and many tribulations which have provided the foundation for a free, prosperous and independent life; and

WHEREAS: Each generation, in turn, must work to maintain this freedom otherwise, through carelessness or indifference, the rights and liberties enjoyed may vanish; and

WHEREAS: It is fitting and proper to recognize this freedom and to honor the nation which provides it;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of February 18 through February 24, 1984, to be

## National Patriotism Week

in Minnesota.

FURTHER, I urge all citizens to express gratitude for the privilege of American Citizenship with appropriate celebrations and observances.

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 eighteenth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-four, and of the State the one hundred twenty-seventh.

*Rudy Perpich*  
GOVERNOR

*Jean Anderson Howe*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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