

## **Proclamation**

The first successful hot air balloon flight was launched in the year 1783 by two French papermakers known as the Montgolfier brothers; and WHEREAS:

In the past 202 years, more ballooning records have been set in Minnesota or by Minnesotans than have been set in any country in the world; and WHEREAS:

Today ballooning is a pastime for the young and the not so young, who enjoy both watching and flying these fabulous "Riders of the Winds"; and WHEREAS:

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This sporting and entertaining event is being brought to the city of Faribault in our Great State by many businesses and civic leaders of the community as a unique and speciacular venture for the enjoyment of all Minnesotans and friends;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Frida: September 13 through Sunday, September 15, 1985 to be

KDHL Balloor

in Minnesota.

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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 thirteenth day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-five, and of the State the one hundred twenty-seventh.

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