



Proclamation

WHEREAS: There is no higher calling in our nation and in our state than to assure the safety of our children; and

WHEREAS: It is essential that all of our efforts be directed towards preventing crimes against children and safeguarding our youngest citizens from increasing vulnerability; and

WHEREAS: Educating children and their parents to follow basic rules of safety is a vital ingredient in helping to reduce and prevent tragic crimes; and

WHEREAS: This state's shopping centers have undertaken a massive and voluntary effort in our communities to fingerprint many thousands of children and to educate them on proper safety measures through a series of special events;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the second week of April to be

CHILD SAFETY WEEK

in Minnesota and urge all citizens to be cognizant of and support the events held in conjunction with this special activity to protect our precious children.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE
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Jean Anderson Snow
Secretary of State

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 twenty-first day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-six, and of the State the one hundred twenty-seventh.

Rudy Perpich
GOVERNOR

Jean Anderson Snow
SECRETARY OF STATE

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