



Proclamation

WHEREAS: James Macken, Jr. joined the Rochester Police Department on July 7, 1941, and has served 45 years on the force; and

WHEREAS: Jim Macken was promoted to chief of the Rochester Police Department in 1949 and now holds the record for the chief with the longest tenure -- 37 years; and

WHEREAS: Jim Macken is a former president of the Minnesota Police Chiefs Association and has served on various Governor's commissions; and

WHEREAS: Jim Macken is one of the most respected police chiefs in the State of Minnesota; and

WHEREAS: Jim Macken has dedicated his life to preserving the peace in Rochester;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Friday, June 20, 1986, to be

JAMES MACKEN, JR. DAY

STATE OF MINNESOTA
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
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Jean Anderson Howe
Secretary of State

in Minnesota in honor of his many years of outstanding public service.

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 June in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-six, and of the State the one hundred twenty-eighth.

Rudy Perpich
GOVERNOR

Jean Anderson Howe
SECRETARY OF STATE

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