



Proclamation

WHEREAS: It is important that all of the citizens of Minnesota be aware of the importance of crime prevention programs and the valuable impact that their participation can have on reducing crime in our neighborhoods; and

WHEREAS: Community crime prevention programs play an important role in assisting Minnesota Police Departments through crime prevention efforts in our cities and towns; and

WHEREAS: The National Association of Town Watch is sponsoring a local effort of a special crime prevention project on August 12, 1986, called a "National Night Out" from 8:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.;

WHEREAS: The "National Night Out" provides an opportunity for the communities of Minnesota and other communities across the country to join together and demonstrate successful programs like crime watch; and

WHEREAS: Neighborhood spirit and cooperation are the key ingredients of the "National Night Out" project and are helping Minnesota's Police Departments to fight crime;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Tuesday, August 12, 1986, to be

NATIONAL NIGHT OUT DAY

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STATE OF MINNESOTA
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Jean Anderson Howe
Secretary of State

in Minnesota.

FURTHER, I call upon all citizens of Minnesota and upon all civic and educational organizations to join the National Association of Town Watch in supporting and participating in "National Night Out" on August 12th.

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

Jean Anderson Howe *Rudy Perpich*
GOVERNOR