



## Proclamation

WHEREAS: Home sewing in Minnesota has evolved from a subsistence skill of the pioneers to a highly technical industry, employing thousands of men and women; and

WHEREAS: Home sewing affects citizens of all ages and backgrounds, through elementary sewing crafts, high fashion artistic sewing, educational programs and the state sewing industry; and

WHEREAS: Home sewing will be publicly displayed via educational events, fashion shows, and other special programs, during a special week in September; and

WHEREAS: Home Sewing Guild members in Minnesota comprise the largest sewing organization in the nation, and are actively involved in both metropolitan and rural Minnesota;

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

HOME SEWING WEEK

in Minnesota.

STATE OF MINNESOTA  
DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
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*Joan Anderson Howe*  
Secretary of State

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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 twenty-second 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.

*Joan Anderson Howe*  
*Rudy Perpich*  
GOVERNOR