

WHEREAS:	The prevention of crime should be the objective of all Minnesotans concerned with safer
	homes, streets and neighborhoods; and
WHEREAS:	Each Minnesotan can cooperate with law enforcement officials to resist crime by locking
	doors and windows and promoting safe neighborhoods; and
WHEREAS:	Crime prevention strategies like Operation Identification, a free burglary reduction
	program available from local police and sheriff departments, and Neighborhood Watch do
	work to curtail crime; and
WHEREAS:	Effective crime prevention requires each Minnesotan to take the initiative in
	discouraging persons from committing unlawful acts;

NOW, THEREFORE, I. Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the fourth week of October to be

> CRIME PREVENTION. WEEK

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in Minnesota, and urge all citizens to practice crime prevention techniques available from local Secretary of State police and sheriff departments designed to help people avoid becoming victims of burglary, assault, theft and other crimes.

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

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