

## Proclamation

The Counties of Clearwater, Hubbard, Beltrami, Cass, Itasca, Aitkin, Crow Wing and Morrison joined together to form the Mississippi Headwaters Board; and WHEREAS:

The Mississippi Headwaters Board has successfully prepared and implemented a comprehensive program for protection of the upper 400 miles of the Mississippi River; WHEREAS:

WHEREAS: The work of the MHB, its advisory committee and the counties themselves has been

widely recognized as having created a national model for cooperative local river management; and

WHEREAS:

The efforts of the counties and the MHB exemplify the very best in creative leadership, which has reflected well upon the Board, the State of Minnesota and all associated with this program; and

WHEREAS: Such leadership and innovation are the essential qualities which help make Minnesota a

successful state:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim March 13,

MISSISSIPPI HEADWATERS BOARD DAY

in Minnesota.

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 Capital this twelfth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-seven, and of the State the one hundred twenty-eighth.

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SECRETARY OF STATE

STATE OF MINNESOTA' DEPARTMENT OF STATE

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