



Proclamation

WHEREAS: The first World Retriever Festival will be held in Minnesota beginning on August 29 and running through Labor Day; and

WHEREAS: Dog owners and handlers from Minnesota, throughout the United States and the United Kingdom have contributed much effort to arrange for this event to be held at Game Fair in Anoka; and

WHEREAS: Participants will include the overseer of the Queen's kennels and other distinguished trainers and their dogs; and

WHEREAS: National and local media will focus attention on this event with plans for the World Retriever Festival to become an annual affair; and

WHEREAS: Minnesota, with its waters, natural habitat, hunting opportunities, dogs and dog owners, is the logical site for this first world festival;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of August 29 to be

WORLD RETRIEVER WEEK

in Minnesota.

STATE OF MINNESOTA
DEPARTMENT OF STATE

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Joan Anderson Howe
Secretary of State

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

Rudy Perpich
GOVERNOR

Joan Anderson Howe
SECRETARY OF STATE

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