



## Proclamation

WHEREAS: Southwest State University has become one of Minnesota's most important educational resources; and

WHEREAS: Southwest State University was created by the foresight and courage of its legislative founders; and

WHEREAS: The dean of the Southwestern Minnesota delegation was the Honorable John Zwach; and

WHEREAS: John Zwach distinguished himself and honored all Minnesotans with his long service in the Minnesota Legislature and the United States House of Representatives; and

WHEREAS: He has continued his dedicated public career by serving on the faculty of Southwest State University; and

WHEREAS: He has become known affectionately as Minnesota's Elder Statesman;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim October 7 to be

JOHN ZWACK DAY

STATE OF MINNESOTA  
DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
FILED

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in Minnesota.

*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-eighth day of September 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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