



## Proclamation

WHEREAS: The weeks following the Thanksgiving holiday through the month of December are a busy time for all Minnesota residents as they prepare for the upcoming holiday season; and

WHEREAS: This time period also marks the start of the winter weather season in the state, which can be marked by deep snowfall, sleet and icy road conditions that make automobile driving an unpleasant experience; and

WHEREAS: The Minnesota Department of Transportation assists communities that provide economical, comfortable, reliable and convenient public transportation to its residents; and

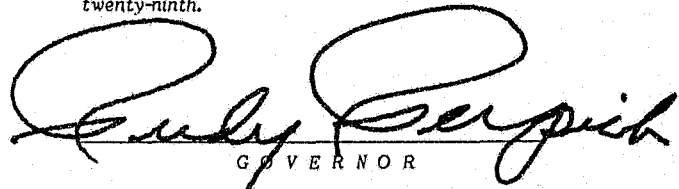
WHEREAS: This system extends to dozens of communities throughout the state providing a vital link from small towns to larger cities;

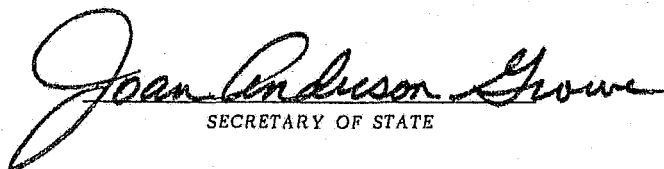
NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the month of December and the last week of November to be

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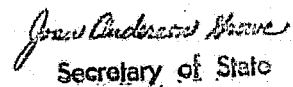
in Minnesota, in honor of public transportation.

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

  
GOVERNOR

  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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