



## Proclamation

WHEREAS: Public works services provided in our community are an integral part of our citizens; everyday lives; and

WHEREAS: The support of an understanding and informed citizenry is vital to the efficient operation of public works systems and programs such as water, sewers, streets and highways, public buildings, solid waste collection and snow removal; and

WHEREAS: The health, safety and comfort of this community greatly depend on these facilities and services; and

WHEREAS: The quality and effectiveness of these facilities, as well as their planning, design, and construction are vitally dependent upon the efforts and skill of public works officials; and

WHEREAS: The efficiency of the qualified and dedicated personnel who staff public works departments is materially influenced by the people's attitude and understanding of the importance of the work they perform;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim May 15 through May 21, 1988 to be

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in Minnesota, and call upon all citizens and civic organizations to acquaint themselves with the problems involved in providing our public works and to recognize the contributions that public works officials make every day to our health, safety and comfort.

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 ninth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-eight, and of the State the one hundred thirtieth.

*Rudy Perpich*  
GOVERNOR

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