



Proclamation

WHEREAS: The Square Dance is a significant part of our American heritage; and

WHEREAS: The Square Dance originated in colonial times, by melding the folk dance figures of many countries; and

WHEREAS: Square dancing has flourished in Minnesota; and

WHEREAS: The Square Dance Federation of Minnesota promotes the spirit of friendship, understanding, and fellowship, and encourages organized participation in square, round, contra, clogging, and folk dancing; and

WHEREAS: The Square Dance Federation of Minnesota is in its 41st year; and

WHEREAS: Many more Minnesotans will be introduced to square dancing this fall;

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

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in Minnesota and recommend this enjoyable recreation to all citizens of this 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-sixth day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-eight, and of the State the one hundred thirtieth.

Rudy Perpich
STATE OF MINNESOTA
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
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