



## Proclamation

WHEREAS: Minnesota citizens enjoy one of the most effective Emergency Medical Services (EMS) in the United States, through the efforts of its highly trained personnel, sophisticated treatment modalities and extensive 911 emergency system; and

WHEREAS: The system would not be possible without the highly integrated, cooperative efforts of the first responders, ambulance personnel and hospital staffs; and

WHEREAS: Minnesota is entering its third decade of quality pre-hospital care through the efforts of both volunteer and professionals acting in concert to achieve new standards of excellence; and

WHEREAS: EMS Week in Minnesota is recognized on an annual basis to express the gratitude of all Minnesotans, it is only befitting that one day be designated to specifically thank the thousands of EMS personnel who dedicate their lives to one very important aspect of the health care continuum;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim October 8, 1988 to be

### EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES PERSONNEL DAY

In Minnesota, and this special day should also serve to draw recognition to the fine organizations, such as the Minnesota EMT Association for their many years of effort to promote quality EMS in this state.

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*Jean Anderson Grove*  
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 twelfth day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-eight, and of the State the one hundred thirtieth.

*Rudy Perpich*  
GOVERNOR

*Jean Anderson Grove*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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