



Proclamation

- WHEREAS: Head Start in the State of Minnesota is now in its 23rd year of success in meeting the needs of disadvantaged children; and
- WHEREAS: The Head Start Program has established itself as the foremost Early Childhood Development Program in these United States; and
- WHEREAS: Since its inception in May 1965, Head Start has provided health, education, and social services to some eight million children and their families in every U.S. state and territory; and
- WHEREAS: To achieve its goals, Head Start provides not only for the educational and exceptional needs of the children, but also for their social, psychological, health, and nutritional requirements; and
- WHEREAS: In addition to focusing on the needs of children, Head Start involves the parents in program operations and in decision making through its Policy Council;

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

HEAD START MONTH

in Minnesota, and by doing so, call attention to the accomplishments of the Head Start Program and urge all citizens to increase their awareness of the services provided.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE
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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 fourteenth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-eight, and of the State the one hundred thirtieth.

Rudy Perpich
GOVERNOR

Joan Anderson Howe
SECRETARY OF STATE

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