

## Proclamation

- WHEREAS: In 1986, the Governor's Commission on Mental Health and the Torrey report found that Minnesota's mental health system needed a major overhaul; and
- WHEREAS: Governor Rudy Perpich made a commitment to have Minnesota regain its national leadership in the delivery of services to persons who are mentally ill; and
- WHEREAS: In 1986, the governor appointed Allyson Ashley as Assistant Commissioner for Mental Health for the State of Minnesota; and
- WHEREAS: Allyson Ashley has consistently displayed her exceptional commitment to persons with mental illness and their families; and
- WHEREAS: Allyson Ashley has exerted strong leadership in improving Minnesota's mental health system; and
- WHEREAS: In two years' time, Minnesota's mental health ranking in the nation has risen from one "with problems which impede progress" to one which is "improving most impressively;" and
- WHEREAS: The Governor, on behalf of the people of Minnesota, wants to show his appreciation for Allyson Ashley's dedicated service to the state;
- NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim November 21, 1988 to be

ALLYSON ASHLEY DAY

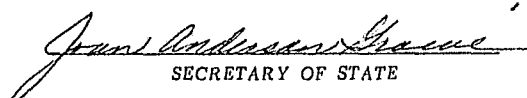
In Minnesota,

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

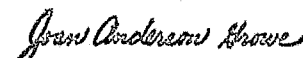
  
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