

## **Proclamation**

The State of Minnesota, 68 years ago, established the nation's first school safety WHEREAS: patrol in St. Paul on February 17, 1921, and created a model for today's nationwide

school safety patrol program; and

Minnesota continues to be a leader in school patrol activities which now involve more WHEREAS:

than 35,000 young Minnesotans; and

These young school patrol workers have volunteered for positions of high responsibility WHEREAS:

and have contributed generously of their time to teach school children to respect

important traffic safety rules; and

WHEREAS: The citizens of Minnesota annually express their gratitude to these young persons and

honor them for valuable unselfish service;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of February 12 through February 18, 1989, to be

SCHOOL SAFETY PATROL WEEK

in Minnesota.

FURTHER, I urge that communities organize special programs to recognize the young people who so faithfully serve in the school safety patrol.

> 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 sixth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eightynine and of the State the one hundred thirtieth.

STATE OF MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF STATE

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Secretary of State