

## **Proclamation**

Minnesota women use their talents, skills, abilities, and sense of justice and commitment to express themselves in a wide variety of activities in communities all over Minnesota, but are not always recognized for the positive contributions they make; WHEREAS:

The Marvelous Minnesota Woman award honors women for their personal accomplishments and acknowledges the significance of each individual contribution to the community; and WHEREAS:

Toni McNaron has served on the faculty of the University of Minnesota since 1964 as a member of the English Department and was instrumental in the formation of the Women's Studies Program which she has served as a teacher and administrator, and through her scholarly works and associations has expanded and explored the field of feminist studies throughout the nation; WHEREAS:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim

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to be a Marvelous Minnesota Woman, to acknowledge her contribution to the Minnesota community in which we live and to serve as an example of the outstanding talent and commitment which is possessed

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-fourth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-nine and of the State the one hundred thirtieth.

LIEUTENANT

STATE OF MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT, OF STATE FILED.

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