

Proclamation

WHEREAS: Minnesota's court system has, traditionally, provided efficient and equitable justice for the citizens of the state. As the complexity of society has grown, so too has the number of cases brought before the courts for resolution; and

WHEREAS: There is growing awareness that many disputes can be settled outside the courtroom using negotiation, mediation, and conciliation. It is becoming more common for parties to work with non-profit dispute resolution programs to develop mutually satisfactory solutions with less time, money and formality; and

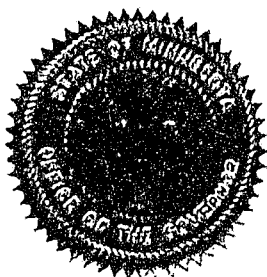
WHEREAS: One organization, the Dispute Resolution Center, has been providing trained volunteer mediators to assist parties in resolving neighborhood disputes, landlord/tenant conflicts, business/consumer disagreements, acquaintance and employment situations to residents and businesses of Ramsey County for the past six years; and

WHEREAS: Over seven thousand Minnesotans have benefited from the use of the Dispute Resolution Center's mediation, conciliation, information and referral and educational services;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim March 29, 1989 to be

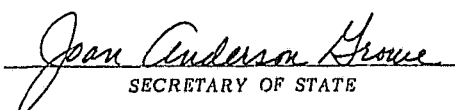
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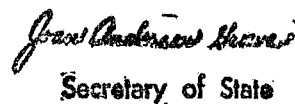
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this twenty-second day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-nine, and of the State the one hundred thirtieth.


GOVERNOR


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