



Proclamation

WHEREAS: Every year more than 10,000 American workers are killed on the job; and

WHEREAS: Tens of thousands more are permanently disabled; and

WHEREAS: Millions are injured; and

WHEREAS: Another 100,000 workers die from cancer, lung disease and other diseases related to toxic chemical exposure at work; and

WHEREAS: Concerned Americans are determined to prevent these tragedies by:

- Organizing Workers Memorial Day on April 28, a day chosen by the unions of the AFL-CIO as a day to remember these victims of workplace injuries and disease;
- renewing our efforts to seek stronger safety and health protections, better standards and enforcement, and fair and just compensation;
- rededicating ourselves to improving safety and health in every American workplace;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim April 28 to be

WORKERS MEMORIAL DAY

in Minnesota, in recognition of workers killed, injured and disabled on the job.

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 twelfth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-nine, and of the State the one hundred thirtieth.

Rudy Perpich
GOVERNOR

Joan Anderson Howe
SECRETARY OF STATE

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