

Proclamation

WHEREAS: Fathers play an increasingly important role in the healthy development of Minnesota's

children: and

WHEREAS: The survival of the American family is the resonsibility of all parents; and

WHEREAS: All citizens benefit from appreciating the influence that our fathers had upon our

personal development; and

WHEREAS: Fathers possess tremendous potential within themselves to nurture, teach and guide

their children toward a future that holds much promise for us all; and

WHEREAS: The celebration of fatherhood is something that deserves special recognition beyond one

Sunday in June;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the third week in June to be

FATHERHOOD WEEK

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 Capital this thirtieth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eightynine, and of the State the one hundred thirty-first.

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