

Proclamation

WHEREAS:	Ramsey Action Programs has been fighting poverty in St. Paul for twenty-five years; and
WHEREAS:	June, 1989 marks Mary Lou Clowes' twenty-third year of service at Ramsey Action Programs; and
WHEREAS:	Mary Lou Clowe's personal experience with poverty, her example in overcoming it for herself and her family, and her commitment to helping others overcome it has been an inspiration to her community, colleagues and clients; and
WHEREAS:	The leadership demonstrated by Mary Lou Clowes has enabled Ramsey Action Programs to more effectively carry out its mission to enable low-income people to escape poverty; and
WHEREAS:	Mary Lou Clowes' work has increased the opportunities for low-income people to participate in the ongoing development of their communities and to advance their leadership skills; and
WHEREAS:	Mary Lou Clowes' hard work, professional skill and personal dedication to the ideal of eliminating the causes and consequences of poverty has made her an outstanding Minnesotan;

MARY LOU CLOWES DAY

in Minnesota, in recognition of her twenty-three years of service.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have herewrto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this thirteenth day of June 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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