

Proclamation

The Greater Anoka County Humane Society was established 10 years ago using volunteers' homes to provide shelter to a small number of stray animals; and WHEREAS:

WHEREAS: Two years ago the Humane Society built a shelter to meet the growing needs for their

Now, the liumane Society, utilizing a network of over 100 volunteers, cares for an average of up to 150 animals per day with over 50 percent per month being adopted out WHEREAS:

to new homes; and

As the demand for services continues to grow, the shelter needs to build additional holding pens and exercise areas for the animals; and WHEREAS:

It is a primary goal of the lluman Society to increase public awareness in the schools and the community to the importance of proper care for animals; and WHEREAS:

WHEREAS: In an effort to raise funds for the building additions and the public outreach, the

Humane Society is hosting a 5K Walk/Run/Roll for Homeless Animals on Saturday, September 23, 1989 at Bunker Hills Regional Park; and

WHEREAS: The Humane Society's goals and fundraising efforts will result in better care for

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

> GREATER ANOKA COUNTY HUMANE SOCIETY 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 Capitol this seventh day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-nine, and of the State the one hundred thirty-first.

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