

Proclamation

WHEREAS: Minnesota Women use their talents, skills, abilities, and sense of justice and commitment to express themselves in a wide variety of activities in communities all over Minnesota, but are not always recognized for the positive contributions they make;

WHEREAS: The Marvelous Minnesota Woman award honors women for their personal accomplishments and acknowledges the significance of each individual contribution to the community; and

WHEREAS: As a Duluth School Board member from 1973-1983, Mary Ryland championed girls athletic programs, and sought to provide opportunities for advancement of women throughout the Duluth School system; and

WHEREAS: Mary serves as AAUW co-chair for Choices for Tomorrow's Women; as chair of the Minnesota State Advisory Committee to the United States Commission on Civil Rights; and is co-owner of Ryland Ford, Inc.;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim

MARY RYLAND

to be A Marvelous Minnesota Woman of 1990.

STATE OF MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF STATE FILED APR 27 1990

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my In WITNESS WHEREOF, I have nereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this nineteenth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and ninety and of the State the one hundred thirty-first.

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