

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Minnesota is singularly endowed with a great wealth of natural resources that are directly allied with our way of life, and

Whereas, the conservation restorations and wise use of our natural resources is our responsibility for the present and the responsibility of generations to come for all time, and

WHEREAS, education in our resources of land, forest, minerals, water and wildlife is essential to a broader public understanding of the necessity for conservation; a such education to be particularly encouraged in the schools and among adults, and

WHEREAS, trees and bird life occupy a ranking place in the field of conservation as symbols of two branches of our natural resources that contribute both economic and esthetic values,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Harold E. Stassen, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby designate the week of May 3rd to 9th as

MINNESOTA CONSERVATION WEEK

and do further designate Friday, May 9th as

ARBOR AND BIRD DAY

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and urge the schools, churches, civic groups and sportsmen's organizations to observe the week with appropriate ceremonies and the day by planting trees and encouraging bird appreciation.

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


in St. Paul

this 10th day of Feb, 1942



GOVERNOR

ATTEST


Secretary of State

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