



WHEREAS: prior to 1945 vocational-technical education in Minnesota was limited in programs offered and people served; and

WHEREAS: Walter Rogosheske saw the need for expanding vocational training programs to provide job training to returning war veterans; and

WHEREAS: his dedication to the state's economy and the needs of Minnesotan's led to landmark

WHEREAS: this legislation was signed into law on April 16, 1945 and is known as the Area Vocational School Enabling Act; and

legislation for the state and nation; and

WHEREAS: this legislation has led to the serving of 27,000 students within the 33 area vocational-technical institutes in 1977;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim April 21, 1977 as

## ROGOSHESKE DAY

in honor of Justice Walter Rogosheske for being instrumental in the development of vocational-technical education and in the welfare of the citizens of the State of 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 twenty-first day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred seventy-seven and of the State the one hundred nineteenth.

GOVERNOR

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