



Proclamation

WHEREAS: THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE NORTH STAR CHAPTER OF THE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE OF BUILDING OFFICIALS IS COMPRISED OF BUILDING OFFICIALS OF THE VARIOUS CITIES AND COUNTIES OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA; AND

WHEREAS: IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF BUILDING OFFICIALS TO ADMINISTER THE STATE CONSTRUCTION CODES, ADOPTED BY THE CITIES AND COUNTIES CONCERNED WITH PROVIDING A MINIMUM MEASURE OF PROTECTION FOR THE HEALTH, SAFETY AND GENERAL WELFARE OF THE PEOPLE AFFORDED BY THESE CODES; AND

WHEREAS: THE GENERAL PUBLIC SERVED BY THESE OFFICIALS IS OFTEN NOT CLEARLY INFORMED OF THE ACTIVITIES NECESSARY IN ADMINISTERING THE CONSTRUCTION CODES; AND

WHEREAS: THE FAILURE OF THE GENERAL PUBLIC TO RECOGNIZE THE PURPOSE OF CONSTRUCTION CODES ADOPTED AND ADMINISTERED BY THESE CITIES AND COUNTIES OFTEN SERVES TO IMPEDE THE EFFORTS OF THE BUILDING INSPECTION DEPARTMENTS; AND

WHEREAS: PUBLIC INFORMATION ABOUT THE ACTIVITIES OF THE BUILDING INSPECTION DEPARTMENTS WILL SERVE NOT ONLY TO FACILITATE THE WORK OF THESE INSPECTORS, BUT ALSO ASSIST THE BUILDING OFFICIAL IN ASSURING PROTECTION OF THE HEALTH, SAFETY; AND GENERAL WELFARE OF THE GENERAL PUBLIC;

NOW, THEREFORE, I RUDY PERPICH, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA DO HEREBY PROCLAIM THE WEEK OF APRIL 18 THROUGH APRIL 22, 1983 TO BE

BUILDING SAFETY WEEK

IN MINNESOTA. FURTHER, I URGE CITIZENS TO BE AWARE OF THE ROLE THE BUILDING OFFICIALS PLAY IN PROTECTING THE HEALTH, SAFETY AND GENERAL WELFARE OF THE RESIDENTS OF MINNESOTA.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, WE HAVE HEREUNTO SET OUR HANDS AND CAUSED THE GREAT SEAL OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA TO BE AFFIXED THIS NINETEENTH DAY OF JANUARY IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-THREE, AND OF THE STATE THE ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-FIFTH.

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