



STATE of MINNESOTA

Proclamation

WHEREAS: Founded in 1985, the Aliveness Project works to provide social support and connect people living with HIV/AIDS to resources for leading healthy, self-directed lives; and

WHEREAS: The Aliveness Project is committed to providing accurate information about HIV/AIDS to newly-diagnosed people living with the disease and their families, as well as wider community education, to eliminate stigma and influence policies impacting HIV/AIDS prevention and care strategies; and

WHEREAS: Over 1,900 individuals – approximately 1 in 4 Minnesotans living with HIV/AIDS – benefit from the services of The Aliveness Project; and

WHEREAS: The Aliveness Project offers services including a hot meal program, a food shelf, nutritional therapy, integrative therapies, case management, mental health and chemical health programs and a holiday gift program; and

WHEREAS: On April 27, 2017, 160 participating restaurants from across the state are donating a percentage of their profits to fight HIV/AIDS in Minnesota for the 23rd Annual Dining Out For Life.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MARK DAYTON, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Thursday, April 27, 2017 as:

DINING OUT FOR LIFE DAY

in 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 13th day of April.


GOVERNOR



SECRETARY OF STATE