



STATE of MINNESOTA

Proclamation

- WHEREAS: Children are among Minnesota's most precious treasures; and
- WHEREAS: There are approximately 74,300 infants and children being cared for in licensed family child care homes in Minnesota; and
- WHEREAS: Early childhood care and education is provided to our children and their families by licensed family child care providers; and
- WHEREAS: The more than 9,200 licensed family child care providers are early childhood professionals providing quality early childhood care and education; and
- WHEREAS: Licensed family child care providers achieve and maintain the highest standards of care in Minnesota's diverse family child care homes and communities; and
- WHEREAS: The State of Minnesota recognizes the professionalism and dedication of these individuals.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MARK DAYTON, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of May 7-13, 2017, as:

LICENSED FAMILY CHILD CARE PROVIDER WEEK

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 28th day of April.


GOVERNOR



SECRETARY OF STATE