



STATE of MINNESOTA

Proclamation

- WHEREAS: The Rosemount, Apply Valley, and Eagan public schools have had five young men, graduates of Rosemount, Apple Valley, and Eagan high schools, pay the ultimate sacrifice in a combat theater while serving in the Armed Forces of the United States; and
- WHEREAS: Captain Nathanael Doring, USMC Aviation, killed in theater in 2006; Lance Corporal Daniel Olsen, USMC Infantry, killed in action in 2007; Corporal Benjamin Kopp, US Army Rangers, died of wounds sustained in combat in 2009; First Lieutenant Christopher Goeke, US Army Airborne, killed in action in 2010; Corporal Andrew Wilfahrt, US Army Military Police, killed in action in 2011; and
- WHEREAS: The Warrior 196 Leadership Foundation is hosting its Fifth Annual Warrior 196 Memorial 5K Run to honor, remember, and pay forward their collective legacies via financial scholarships for graduating seniors of Rosemount, Apple Valley, Eagan, and Eastview High School; and
- WHEREAS: The Warrior 196 Leadership Foundation, the communities of Rosemount, Apple Valley, and Eagan, and the State of Minnesota recognize the uncommon courage, selflessness, and commitment to duty of these 'Warriors of 196.'

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MARK DAYTON, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Saturday, September 30, 2017, as:

WARRIORS OF 196 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 27th day of September.


GOVERNOR



SECRETARY OF STATE