



STATE of MINNESOTA

Proclamation

- WHEREAS: The Economic Opportunity Act of 1964 authorized the creation of Community Action agencies to provide opportunities for self-sufficiency and success for those with limited incomes; and
- WHEREAS: Community Action agencies have made essential contributions to individuals and families in Minnesota by providing them with innovative and cost-effective programs during the past half century; and
- WHEREAS: The Minnesota Community Action Network collaborates with community members and representatives from the public and private sectors to identify and remove barriers to self-sufficiency; and
- WHEREAS: Those living on limited incomes benefit from opportunities to improve their lives and their living conditions, and Community Action agencies play important roles in providing access to those opportunities; and
- WHEREAS: Minnesota and the United States must be determined and intentional in efforts to combat poverty by providing support and opportunity for all persons in need of assistance, thus ensuring that everyone is able to live with dignity.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MARK DAYTON, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the month of May 2018, as:

COMMUNITY ACTION MONTH

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 24th day of April.


GOVERNOR





SECRETARY OF STATE