



STATE of MINNESOTA

Proclamation

- WHEREAS: In Minnesota, state, local, and tribal governments, along with Minnesota businesses, have partnered in ongoing efforts to dramatically decrease greenhouse gas emissions; and
- WHEREAS: Thanks to those efforts, Minnesota has already exceeded the goal that 25 percent of all energy produced in our state come from renewable sources, seven years ahead of schedule; and
- WHEREAS: Minnesota is one of 17 states active in the U.S. Climate Alliance, which is committed to upholding the values of the Paris Climate Agreement, together representing more than 40 percent of the U.S. population; and
- WHEREAS: Climate change is already affecting Minnesota's people, environment, economy, and cultural traditions; and
- WHEREAS: We have a responsibility to minimize our contributions to climate change by reducing greenhouse gas emissions and increasing energy efficiency; and
- WHEREAS: Minnesota continues to pursue ambitious climate goals, to ensure Minnesota and the U.S. remain global leaders in reducing emissions; and
- WHEREAS: Addressing climate change is good for Minnesota's economy, continued clean energy job growth, technical innovation, and reduced dependence on imported energy.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MARK DAYTON, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Wednesday, June 13, 2018, as:

MN IS STILL IN 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 12th day of June.


GOVERNOR



SECRETARY OF STATE