



STATE of MINNESOTA

Proclamation

- WHEREAS: Children are among Minnesota's most precious treasures; and
- WHEREAS: There are more than 130,000 infant to school-aged children in family child care homes in Minnesota; and
- WHEREAS: Valuable care and education is provided to our children by licensed family child caregivers; and
- WHEREAS: The more than 11,000 licensed family child care providers in Minnesota are professionals, who strive to achieve and maintain the highest level of child care; and
- WHEREAS: Licensed family child care providers are highly competent, dedicated, caring, and concerned individuals.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MARK DAYTON, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of April 29-May 5, 2012, as:

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 9th day of April.

Handwritten signature of Mark Dayton in black ink.

GOVERNOR

Handwritten signature of Mark Ritchie in blue ink.

SECRETARY OF STATE