



## STATE of MINNESOTA

# Proclamation

- WHEREAS: Older Minnesotans are active contributors to their communities as engaged citizens, friends, neighbors, and volunteers; and
- WHEREAS: Older Minnesotans, through their intergenerational relationships, help create strong and livable communities for a lifetime; and
- WHEREAS: Society is enhanced by older adults aging and living well in their communities; and
- WHEREAS: Many older adults take active roles as volunteers and seek opportunities to volunteer; and
- WHEREAS: The Senior LinkAge Line One Stop Shop for Older Minnesotans is available to connect interested older adults to volunteer opportunities.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MARK DAYTON, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the month of May, 2012 to be:

## OLDER AMERICANS MONTH

in the State of Minnesota, and urge citizens to take time this month to honor older adults who volunteer and the family members, professionals, and volunteers who care for older adults.



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 27<sup>th</sup> day of April.

  
GOVERNOR



SECRETARY OF STATE