

## STATE of MINNESOTA

Proclamation

WHEREAS: 2016 marks the 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Minnesota Board on Aging, which has

blazed the trail for the nation in policies and programs that help older adults age

well and live well; and

WHEREAS: Older Minnesotans actively contribute to their communities as engaged citizens,

friends, neighbors, and volunteers; and

WHEREAS: Older Minnesotans have made countless sacrifices to ensure a better life for

future generations, strengthening, and enriching all of Minnesota; and

WHEREAS: Society is enhanced by older adults aging and living well in their communities;

and

WHEREAS: The Minnesota Board on Aging provides critical information and assistance to

older Minnesotans, including in-home and supportive services as well as connections to additional resources, helping them to maximize their

independence; and

WHEREAS: The State of Minnesota recognizes the critical role the Minnesota Board on

Aging plays in helping older Minnesotans age well and live well.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MARK DAYTON, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Thursday, September 1, 2016, as:

## MINNESOTA BOARD ON AGING 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 31st day of August.

GOVERNOR

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SECRETARY OF STATE