



STATE *of* MINNESOTA

- WHEREAS: Teen consumption of alcohol is linked to risky behavior and injury; and
- WHEREAS: Most teens who drink obtain alcohol from social sources, including at parties, from adults, and from older friends; and
- WHEREAS: The Federal Trade Commission has developed an educational campaign, "We Don't Serve Teens," which provides information about teen drinking and ways to reduce teen's easy access to alcohol; and
- WHEREAS: It is critical that government and private entities work together to reduce underage drinking by stopping easy teen access to alcohol.

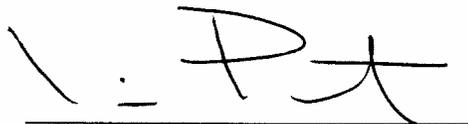
NOW, THEREFORE, I, TIM PAWLENTY, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of September 10, 2007, as:

WE DON'T SERVE TEENS WEEK

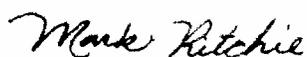
in the State of Minnesota and encourage government agencies, communities, and citizens to work toward reducing teen access to alcohol, by using available resources, including those accessible through www.DontServeTeens.gov.



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 26th day of August in the year of our Lord two thousand and seven, and of the State the one hundred forty-ninth.



GOVERNOR



SECRETARY OF STATE