



## STATE of MINNESOTA

# Proclamation

- WHEREAS: A dynamic, thriving economy is critical to the future of Minnesota and each of its citizens; and
- WHEREAS: The launching of new business enterprises and the development of innovative products and services are key catalysts in the creation of a thriving economy and the expansion of employment opportunities for workers of every age; and
- WHEREAS: Every region of Minnesota is fortunate to have individuals and organizations leading the way in business expansion, creating more and better jobs; and
- WHEREAS: These leaders' energy, imagination, and entrepreneurial risk-taking continue to enhance and strengthen the economic well-being of each of our citizens and the entire state; and
- WHEREAS: Finance and Commerce Progress Minnesota honors individuals and organizations for their outstanding contributions to Minnesota's economic progress and their ability to compete successfully in the global marketplace.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MARK DAYTON, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of Thursday, April 16, 2015, as:

## PROGRESS MINNESOTA 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 19<sup>th</sup> day of February.



  
GOVERNOR



SECRETARY OF STATE