



STATE of MINNESOTA

Proclamation

- WHEREAS: The Minnesota Street Rod Association (MSRA) is the largest street rod association in the United States, with an all-volunteer membership of over 25,000 owners of street rods, classic, collector, and vintage cars; and
- WHEREAS: MSRA promotes a better understanding of the hobby by exchanging knowledge and ideas with members and non-members about the safety and proper construction of collector cars, and provides guidance in overall safe vehicle operations; and
- WHEREAS: MSRA, a family-oriented association, continually strives to include, educate, guide, and learn from all generations, and provides mentorship for young people by subsidizing a scholarship program and strengthening family relationships; and
- WHEREAS: MSRA participates in community, charitable, and promotional events benefitting the State of Minnesota, the City of St. Paul, and communities across the state; and
- WHEREAS: MSRA's annual Back to the 50s weekend welcomes nearly 100,000 spectators, and over 12,000 registered collector vehicles from across the nation and several foreign nations;; and
- WHEREAS: MSRA's Back to the 50s was named by USA TODAY as the number one car show in the world in 2016 and 2017; and
- WHEREAS: MSRA is celebrating its association's 45th Back to the 50s event on June 22-24, 2018.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MARK DAYTON, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim June 22-24, 2018, as:

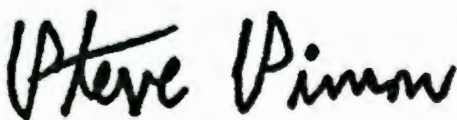
MSRA'S 45th BACK TO THE 50s

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 20th day of June.


GOVERNOR





SECRETARY OF STATE



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