



## STATE of MINNESOTA

# Proclamation

- WHEREAS: Team USA's Sunisa (Sunni) Lee won Olympic gold on Thursday, July 29, 2021, in the Tokyo Olympics Gymnastics individual all-around competition; and
- WHEREAS: Lee reached the podium in every other Tokyo Olympics women's gymnastics event, winning gold in the team competition, silver in the floor exercise, and bronze on the uneven bars; and
- WHEREAS: 18-year-old Lee from Saint Paul, Minnesota, is the first Hmong-American to compete in the Olympics; and
- WHEREAS: Lee and her teammates have trained through adversity, including her father's injury, the COVID-19 pandemic, and competing at venues without a live audience cheering them on; and
- WHEREAS: Lee has made our state and country proud by etching her name among the legendary USA Olympians that have won gold at the Summer Olympic Games.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, TIM WALZ, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Friday, July 30, 2021, as:

## SUNISA LEE 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 29<sup>th</sup> day of July.



A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Tim Walz".

GOVERNOR

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Steve Simon".

SECRETARY OF STATE

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