



## STATE of MINNESOTA

# Proclamation

- WHEREAS: For 20 years, the Senior LinkAge Line: One Stop Shop for Older Minnesotans has provided information to help older adults maximize their independence and connect them to volunteer and job opportunities; and
- WHEREAS: In 2013, nearly 176,000 individuals received Senior LinkAge Line telephone or in-person assistance in advocacy, long term care options, counseling, prescription drug expenses, and caregiver planning; and
- WHEREAS: The Senior LinkAge Line provided health insurance counseling to more than 100,000 contacts last year; and
- WHEREAS: The Senior LinkAge Line has increased seniors' access to state agencies, volunteer opportunities, and employment opportunities and has offered information to citizens of all ages who want to know more to "own their future" by doing long-term care planning; and
- WHEREAS: Our society benefits when older adults age and live well in their communities; and
- WHEREAS: Older Minnesotans have made countless contributions and sacrifices to ensure a better life for future generations, which strengthens and enhances all of Minnesota.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MARK DAYTON, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Thursday, August 28, 2014, as:

## SENIOR LINKAGE LINE: ONE STOP SHOP FOR MINNESOTANS 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 18<sup>th</sup> day of August.



  
GOVERNOR

  
SECRETARY OF STATE