



STATE of MINNESOTA

Proclamation

WHEREAS: Graduate women in scientific, mathematical, and engineering disciplines are invaluable members of the scientific, technological, and intellectual communities; and

WHEREAS: These well-educated and highly trained professionals advance science and technology in academia, industrial settings, government, primary and secondary education, and the private sector; and

WHEREAS: The number of women entering certain scientific, mathematical, and engineering training programs is increasing yearly, though women are still underrepresented in many high-level careers typical of this training; and

WHEREAS: Women should be encouraged to join scientific and technological professions; and

WHEREAS: Xi Chapter of Graduate Women in Science will hold its 93rd Annual National Conference in Minneapolis, Minnesota, from June 25th through June 29th, 2014.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MARK DAYTON, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of June 22-28, 2014, as:

WOMEN IN SCIENCE WEEK

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 16th day of June.




GOVERNOR



SECRETARY OF STATE