

## STATE of MINNESOTA

Proclamation

WHEREAS: The City of Chaska and Hazeltine National Golf Club will be hosting the 2016 Ryder

Cup, an international golf competition televised to over five hundred million homes

worldwide; and

WHEREAS: The competition has been celebrated since 1927, and is a time-honored tradition between

the United States and Europe; and

WHEREAS: Minnesota welcomes the Ryder Cup and U.S. Captain Davis Love III and European

Captain Darren Clarke to the state to lead the competition among two 12-person teams;

and

WHEREAS: The State of Minnesota, in partnership with the City of Chaska and surrounding

communities, is grateful for the opportunity to showcase our beautiful state and host the

worldwide 2016 Ryder Cup.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MARK DAYTON, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the weekend of September 30-October 2, 2016, as:

## RYDER CUP WEEKEND

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 30<sup>th</sup> day of September.

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SECRETARY OF STATE