

STATE of MINNESOTA

Proclamation

WHEREAS:

The management of environmental conditions is an essential element in

protecting the health, safety, and well-being of Minnesotans; and

WHEREAS:

Environmental Public Health is the public health discipline concerned with the

management of environmental conditions to prevent disease and injury to

humans; and

WHEREAS:

The women and men who serve in the Environmental Public Health field in Minnesota are experienced and dedicated public health professionals, who contribute to improving the quality of life for the residents and guests of

Minnesota; and

WHEREAS:

State and local environmental health agencies are working together to meet the

public health needs of their communities in Minnesota; and

WHEREAS:

The Minnesota Environmental Health Association is the educational group

serving the environmental public health profession in this State; and

WHEREAS:

The State of Minnesota recognizes the importance of the essential services

provided by environmental public health professionals.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MARK DAYTON, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of May 14-20, 2012 as:

ENVIRONMENTAL PUBLIC HEALTH 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 2nd day of May.

GOVERNÓR

Mark Ritchie

SECRETARY OF STATE