



STATE of MINNESOTA

Proclamation

WHEREAS: The Teddy Bear Band is celebrating 30 years of creating musical performances and recordings for young children, focused on developmentally appropriate participation, setting kids up for success; and

WHEREAS: The Teddy Bear Band continues to be respected by nationally recognized family and child development experts and organizations for their skills in connecting with children and encouraging child and parent interaction; and

WHEREAS: The Teddy Bear Band has performed over 8000 shows for young children and families; and

WHEREAS: The Teddy Bear Band has represented The State of Minnesota's commitment to leadership in early education at national conferences such as the National Association for the Education of Young Children Conference, the National Head Start Reading and Literacy Conference, The National Head Start Conference, and The First Annual Brain Conference; and

WHEREAS: Teddy Bear Band has been the only children's music artist ever honored with Minnesota Parent Magazine's Family Favorite Award and the Minnesota Music Award from the Minnesota Music Academy; and

WHEREAS: The Teddy Bear Band continues to support early education initiatives by developing performances and recordings that support early literacy, age appropriate academic standards, socialization, health, and intergenerational relationships; and

WHEREAS: The Teddy Bear Band has generations of fans and families that continue to follow them and have grown up with their music.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MARK DAYTON, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Sunday, June 28, 2015, as:

TEDDY BEAR BAND 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 26th day of May.


GOVERNOR



SECRETARY OF STATE