WHEREAS: Minnesota is committed to providing education in schools and classrooms that is welcoming and inclusive for all Minnesota children; and

WHEREAS: Minnesota educators recognize that each child is unique and learns better if teaching is tailored to their abilities and interests; and

WHEREAS: The educators and families of Minnesota have been working hard to ensure that classrooms and schools are characterized as being high performing and inclusive; and

WHEREAS: Through these efforts, the educators and families of Minnesota have contributed significantly to building a stronger and more inclusive community; and

WHEREAS: Minnesota educators and families deserve to celebrate their successes and to reflect on how they can continue to further improve; and

WHEREAS: Minnesota families and educators join with schools, districts, and communities around the country celebrating Inclusive Schools Week.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, TIM WALZ, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of December 2-8, 2019 as:

INCLUSIVE SCHOOLS 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 21st day of November.

GOVERNOR

STEVE OPIE
SECRETARY OF STATE