



## STATE of MINNESOTA

# Proclamation

WHEREAS: On Saturday, May 6, 2023, the community of Allen, Texas, was victim to a senseless act of violence; and

WHEREAS: As we mourn the loss of the victims of this senseless act of violence, we know the pain we experience as a nation is only amplified for the friends and families of the victims; and

WHEREAS: The President of the United States of America has ordered that the flags be lowered half-staff to remember and honor the victims; and

WHEREAS: We join states across the nation to remember and honor the victims whose lives were senselessly lost.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, TIM WALZ, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby order all United States flags and Minnesota flags to be flown at half-staff at all state buildings in the State of Minnesota effective immediately until sunset on Thursday, May 11, 2023, to remember, mourn, and honor the lives lost.

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 7<sup>th</sup> day of May.



  
GOVERNOR

  
SECRETARY OF STATE