



PROVINCE OF MANITOBA

PROCLAMATION


PROVINCIAL HUNTING

- WHEREAS more than 50,000 Manitobans have a direct connection to hunting; and
- WHEREAS hunting makes a significant contribution to Manitoba's provincial economy by generating close to four million dollars in revenue by selling more than 85,000 hunting licences annually; and
- WHEREAS is culturally significant to Manitoba's Aboriginal people, as well as providing valuable food; and
- WHEREAS the majority of Manitobans are not aware of the benefits of hunting to Aboriginal people and to wildlife management; and
- WHEREAS the fourth Saturday in September has been chosen by Alberta and all States to promote the benefits of hunting; and
- WHEREAS the Government of Manitoba and many hunting organizations recognize the importance of promoting the benefits of hunting to Manitobans.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT KNOWN THAT I, Gary Doer, Premier of Manitoba, do hereby declare that every fourth Saturday in September will be known as the:

PROVINCIAL HUNTING DAY

In Manitoba, and do commend thoughtful observance to all citizens of our province.



Premier

