PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Rabies is a serious and life threatening viral disease which is carried by infected animals and contracted by humans through exposure to an infected animal, and

WHEREAS, One half of all rabies cases in the first six months of 1992 have been in seven counties in Southwestern Wisconsin, and

WHEREAS, The Iowa County Community Health Office feels it would be beneficial to the citizens of Iowa County to become more informed about the rabies virus and its life threatening consequences, and

WHEREAS, Rabies is a preventable disease when domestic animals are appropriately immunized.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, As Chairman of the Iowa County Board, I proclaim the week of July 20-25, 1992 as Rabies Awareness Week.

Signed: Richard Sullivan
Iowa County Board Chairman

Date: 7-21-92