

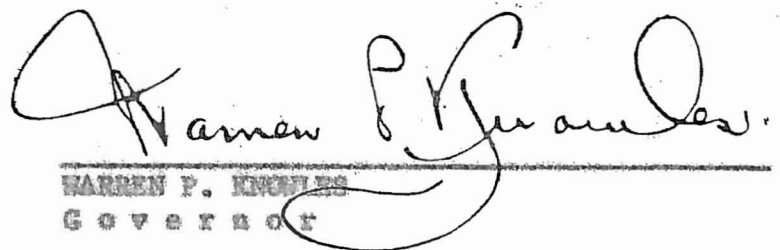
WHEREAS, Portage is considered as a centrally located and historically important area, having significance to the entire state; and

WHEREAS, there is a need for the development of the Portage Canal area and it is deemed desirable and appropriate to establish a Committee comprised of persons from throughout the State and composed of legislators, state agency representatives, members of the Board of Curators of the State Historical Society, private citizens and members of the Portage Mayor's Committee; and

WHEREAS, this general committee is to recommend a plan of action which will involve private as well as city, county and state cooperation in the development of the Portage Canal Area;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WARREN P. KNOWLES, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, by Executive Order, do hereby formulate a 32-member Governor's Portage Canal Implementation Committee and do appoint and constitute David Bennett, Portage, Committee Chairman; Donald Witt, Portage; David Eulberg, Portage; Larry Mattke, Portage; Jack McSorley, Portage; Robert Miller, Portage; James L. Van Epps, Portage; Mayor Robert A. Naal, Portage; Elmer Bartell, Portage; Palmer McCoy, Portage; Donald F. Sutfin, Portage; Mrs. Lester LeNack, Racine; Mrs. George Banzhof, Milwaukee; Robert E. Gard, Madison; Assemblyman Everett Bidwell, Portage; Assemblyman Norman C. Anderson, Madison; Senator Fred A. Bieser, Madison; Senator Ernest C. Keppler, Sheboygan; L. P. Veigt, Madison; Paul Pratt, Madison; Leslie H. Fisher, Madison; Professor Scott M. Cutlip, Madison; W. Norman Fitzgerald, Milwaukee; Mrs. Charles B. Jackson, Neeshotah; Dr. Louis C. Smith, Lancaster; Loid Atkinson, Jr., Portage; Miss Ina Curtis, Portage; James T. Haight, Milwaukee; Edward P. Hamilton, Two Rivers; Roy E. Kumm, La Crosse; Donald R. McNeil, Madison; Professor Ben Niemann, Madison as members of said Committee which will function as a General Committee of the Governor.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Wisconsin to be affixed. Done at the Capitol in the City of Madison this fourth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-six.


WARREN P. KNOWLES
Governor

By the Governor:

Secretary of State