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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Local Government Operations Reform,  
Technology and Elections

1.1 A bill for an act  
1.2 relating to state government; designating the first Sunday in October as  
1.3 Minnesota Fallen Firefighters Memorial Day; proposing coding for new law in  
1.4 Minnesota Statutes, chapter 10.

1.5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

1.6 Section 1. **[10.585] FALLEN FIREFIGHTERS MEMORIAL DAY.**

1.7 The first Sunday in October is designated as Fallen Firefighters Memorial Day in  
1.8 honor of firefighters who have lost their lives in the line of duty. Each American flag and  
1.9 Minnesota flag flown on the grounds of the Capitol area, as described in section 15B.02,  
1.10 must be flown at half-staff on Fallen Firefighters Memorial Day.