

State of Vermont
Executive Department
A Proclamation

WHEREAS, the Weston Playhouse Theatre Company is Vermont's oldest professional theatre; and

WHEREAS, the company is celebrating its 80th anniversary season, a milestone that only 20 theatres have achieved in the entire country; and

WHEREAS, Weston has just held the groundbreaking for its new Center for the Arts at Walker Farm, a project for which actor Christopher Lloyd is honorary chair; and

WHEREAS, Christopher Lloyd began his acting career on the stage of the Weston Playhouse in the summer of 1964; and

WHEREAS, he returned to Weston in 1990 to star with his brother, Sam, and family in Sherlock Holmes and again in 2010 to star as Willy Loman in Death of A Salesman; which production he toured throughout Vermont and New England; and

WHEREAS, Christopher Lloyd's career in theatre, television, and film is now legendary, including such highlights as the Broadway revival of Morning's At Seven, the classic TV series Taxi, and the Back to the Future film franchise; and

WHEREAS, throughout his career, Christopher Lloyd has remained loyal to and deeply interested in the life of the Weston Playhouse Theatre Company, bringing distinction to the theatre company and the arts in the State of Vermont;

WHEREAS, in recognition of his extraordinary life and career, Christopher Lloyd is receiving the First Annual Weston Honors;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Peter Shumlin, Governor, do hereby proclaim August 7, 2016 as

CHRISTOPHER LLOYD DAY

in Vermont.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State o
of Vermont this 2nd day of August, A.D. 2016.



A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "Peter Shumlin", written over a horizontal line.

Peter Shumlin
Governor