

**State of Vermont
Executive Department
A Proclamation**

WHEREAS, engineers use their scientific and technical knowledge and skills in creative and innovative ways to fulfill society's needs; and

WHEREAS, in Vermont, engineers face the many major technological challenges of our time – from rebuilding our towns devastated by natural disasters, to cleaning up the environment and assuring safe, clean, and efficient sources of energy, to designing information systems that will propel our state and country into the future; and

WHEREAS, Vermont's engineers are encouraging our young math and science students to realize the practical power of their knowledge; and

WHEREAS, we will look more than ever to engineers and their knowledge for the skills needed to meet the challenges of the 21st century; and

WHEREAS, there is a high demand for engineers in Vermont over the next ten years with nearly 1,700 engineering jobs projected to open including civil, electrical, industrial, and mechanical engineers.

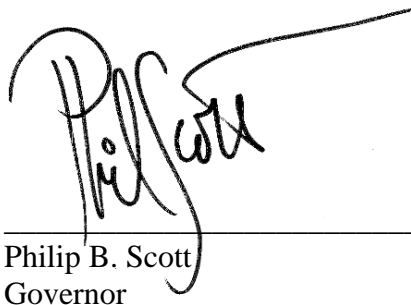
NOW, THEREFORE, I, Philip B. Scott, Governor, do hereby proclaim February 17-23, 2019 as


ENGINEERS WEEK

in Vermont.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of Vermont on this 20th day of February, A.D. 2019.




Philip B. Scott
Governor


Brittney L. Wilson
Secretary of Civil and Military Affairs