

**State of Vermont**  
**Executive Department**  
**A Proclamation**

**WHEREAS,** procurement technical assistance centers (PTACs) provide important assistance to local businesses to help them succeed in the government market; and

**WHEREAS,** PTACs bridge the gap between buyer and supplier, applying their knowledge of both government contracting and the capabilities of contractors to maximize fast, reliable service to our government with better quality and at lower costs; and

**WHEREAS,** PTACs make a critical contribution to the national, state and local economies; and

**WHEREAS,** National PTAC Day will be held on September 18, 2019 as a collective campaign to celebrate the contracting successes of the small businesses that have benefitted from training and technical assistance from their local PTACs; and

**WHEREAS,** Vermont desires to share in this celebration and recognition of the PTACs and the businesses they serve every day, every year.

**NOW, THEREFORE,** I, Philip B. Scott, Governor, hereby proclaim September 18, 2019 as

**PROCUREMENT TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE CENTERS DAY**

in Vermont.



Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of Vermont on this 18th day of September, A.D. 2019.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Phil Scott', is written over a horizontal line. The signature is stylized and cursive.

Philip B. Scott  
Governor

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Brittney L. Wilson', is written over a horizontal line. The signature is cursive.

Brittney L. Wilson  
Secretary of Civil and Military Affairs