

**State of Vermont
Executive Department
A Proclamation**

WHEREAS, The Mary Fletcher Hospital Auxiliary was formed in February 1920 to raise money for the hospital's food, equipment and charity care needs; and

WHEREAS, the Auxiliary sponsored an array of charitable events to raise funds, collect food, and meet sewing needs of the hospital; and

WHEREAS, the Auxiliary has raised over \$8 million for the medical center in its 100 years of work, as well as supported scholarships for health care and other students and donated tens of thousands of volunteer hours of effort; and

WHEREAS, the Auxilians, representing most towns in and beyond Chittenden County, have been tireless goodwill ambassadors for the medical center; and

WHEREAS, the current University of Medical Center Auxiliary represents a blending over the decades of the DeGoesbriand, Fanny Allen, Medical Center Hospital of Vermont, and Fletcher Allen Health Care Auxiliaries.

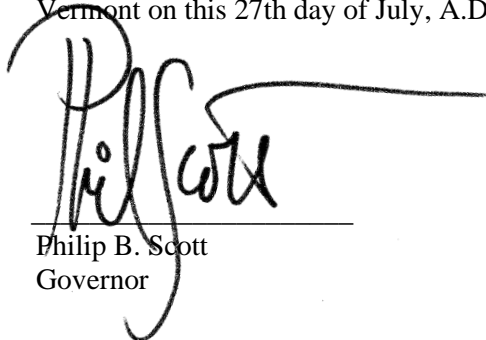
NOW, THEREFORE, I, Philip B. Scott, Governor, hereby proclaim October 13, 2020 as

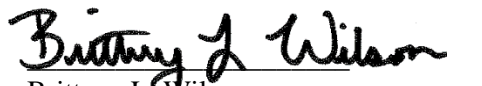
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CENTENNIAL DAY**



in Vermont and congratulate the University of Vermont Medical Center Auxiliary for its admirable and enduring efforts to contribute to the care and comfort of hospital patients in northwestern Vermont.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of Vermont on this 27th day of July, A.D. 2020.


Philip B. Scott
Governor


Brittney L. Wilson
Secretary of Civil and Military Affairs