

**State of Vermont
Executive Department
A Proclamation**

WHEREAS, the people of Vermont are diverse and deeply talented as a creative community; and

WHEREAS, their uniqueness contributes to Vermont's identity as a special place to live and work; and

WHEREAS, Vermont's original music is a vital vehicle of our humanity, carrying our stories, emotions and hopes to each other and to future generations; and

WHEREAS, the musical artists and industries of Vermont build community and our economy; and

WHEREAS, the enrichment and benefits that music and its industries provide to Vermonters are a treasured part of the Vermont experience and worthy of celebration.

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

LOCAL MUSIC MONTH

in Vermont.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of Vermont on this 23d day of October, A.D. 2020.



Brittney L. Wilson
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Secretary of Civil and Military Affairs

Philip B. Scott
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Governor