

**State of Vermont
Executive Department
A Proclamation**

WHEREAS, the University of Vermont Rescue ("UVM Rescue") is a non-profit, volunteer, primarily undergraduate, Advanced Life Support (ALS) ambulance organization that was founded in 1971 by several enterprising first year students; and

WHEREAS, in the summer of 1972, UVM Rescue purchased and drove the first of its kind modular Omaha-orange ambulance up from Massachusetts to Burlington; and

WHEREAS, UVM Rescue was the first ambulance in the state of Vermont to run with a licensed EMT on every crew, the first ambulance in Vermont to not also serve as a hearse, and, the first ambulance service to run with the entire crew being an EMT; and

WHEREAS, UVM Rescue was the first volunteer ambulance crew in Vermont to staff in-station 24/7, 365 days a year; and

WHEREAS, since UVM Rescue's inception has continued to grow responding to over 1400 calls both at UVM and within the greater Burlington area annually; and

WHEREAS, UVM Rescue supports programs including UVM Men's and Women's Basketball games, UVM Hockey games, Spring and Fall Fest, Rail Jam, Commencement, Convocation, Burlington City Marathon, Lake Monster Baseball games, and many more; and

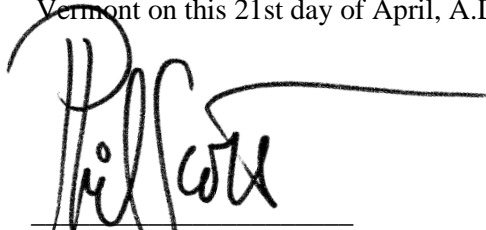
WHEREAS, UVM Rescue is one of seventeen collegiate EMS organizations with transport capabilities but the only one that is completely student-run in the country.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Philip B. Scott, Governor, hereby proclaim April 25, 2022 as

UVM RESCUE DAY


in Vermont.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of Vermont on this 21st day of April, A.D. 2022.



Philip B. Scott
Governor




Brittney J. Wilson
Secretary of Civil and Military Affairs