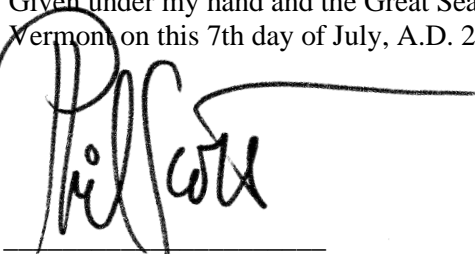


**State of Vermont**  
**Executive Department**  
**A Proclamation**


- WHEREAS,** the Battle of Hubbardton was fought on July 7, 1777 and is the only Revolutionary War battle fought entirely on what would become Vermont soil; and
- WHEREAS,** although technically a British victory, the Battle of Hubbardton is considered one of the most successful rear-guard actions in American history and a strategic victory for the Americans in the Northern Campaign of 1777; and
- WHEREAS,** the marble monument placed on the battlefield in 1859 is one of the oldest Revolutionary War battle monuments in the United States, and the creation of Hubbardton Battlefield was one of the earliest attempts to preserve and commemorate a Revolutionary War site, initiated by local veterans and witnesses to the event in 1777; and
- WHEREAS,** the State of Vermont's Division for Historic Preservation has owned and stewarded the Hubbardton Battlefield state historic site since 1937; and
- WHEREAS,** the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution, whose mission is to promote historic preservation, education, and patriotism, are placing commemorative markers in every state of our nation to honor the men and women who achieved American independence; and
- WHEREAS,** the sacrifices of those who fought and died at the Battle of Hubbardton are not forgotten and are a reminder of the lengths Americans have gone to preserve our freedoms.
- NOW, THEREFORE,** I, Philip B. Scott, Governor, hereby proclaim July 7, 2023 as

**246<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THE BATTLE OF HUBBARDTON DAY**  
in Vermont.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of  
Vermont on this 7th day of July, A.D. 2023.

  
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Philip B. Scott  
Governor



  
Brittney J. Wilson  
Secretary of Civil and Military Affairs