

State of Vermont
Executive Department
A Proclamation

WHEREAS, water is our most valuable natural resource; and

WHEREAS, drinking water serves a vital role in daily life, serving an essential purpose to health, hydration, and hygiene needs; and

WHEREAS, tap water delivers public health protection, fire protection, support for our economy, and the quality of life we enjoy; and

WHEREAS, the hard work performed by the entire water sector, such as drillers, engineers, operators, construction workers, and regulators, to provide high quality drinking water from its source to the tap; and

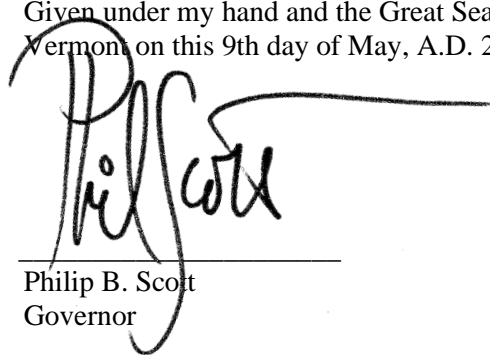
WHEREAS, 2024 marks the 50th Anniversary of the enactment of the Safe Drinking Water Act; and

WHEREAS, Vermonters are called upon to help protect our source waters from pollution, practice water conservation and being involved through education.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Philip B. Scott, Governor, hereby proclaim May 12-18, 2024 as


DRINKING WATER WEEK
in Vermont.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of Vermont on this 9th day of May, A.D. 2024.



Philip B. Scott
Governor




Brittney J. Wilson
Secretary of Civil and Military Affairs