State of Vermont Executive Department A Proclamation

WHEREAS, public works professionals focus on infrastructure, facilities, and services that are of

vital importance to sustainable and resilient communities and to the public health,

high quality of life and well-being of the people of Vermont; and

WHEREAS, these infrastructure, facilities, and services could not be provided without the

dedicated efforts of public works professionals, who are engineers, managers, and employees at all levels of government and the private sector, who are responsible for rebuilding, improving, and protecting our nation's transportation, water supply, water treatment, and solid waste systems, public buildings, and other structures and

facilities essential for all citizens; and

WHEREAS, it is in the public interest for the people, civic leaders and children in State of

Vermont to gain knowledge of and to maintain a progressive interest and understanding of the importance of public works and public works programs in their

respective communities; and

WHEREAS, the year 2024 marks the 64th annual National Public Works Week sponsored by the

American Public Works Association/Canadian Public Works Association.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Philip B. Scott, Governor, hereby proclaim May 19 - 25, 2024, as

PUBLIC WORKS WEEK

in Vermont.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of

Wermont on this 14th day of May, A.D. 2024.

Philip B. Scott Governor

Brittney **W**ilson

Secretary of Civil and Military Affairs