

State of Vermont
Executive Department
A Proclamation

- WHEREAS,** physical activity has been shown to be an important component of a healthy lifestyle; and
- WHEREAS,** taking part in active play is important for Vermonters of all ages to enjoy more physical activity in their daily life; and
- WHEREAS,** the movement RiseVT in Franklin and Grand Isle Counties is launching an Active Play campaign to engage the people of northwestern Vermont in fun physical activity with their family, friends, neighbors and co-workers over the next nine months; and
- WHEREAS,** OneCare Vermont, in partnership with Vermont's hospitals, providers, and the Department of Health, is facilitating the scale-up of RiseVT state-wide to help make the healthy choice the easy choice, and to help keep people healthy as we all join in the RiseVT movement toward a healthier future; and
- WHEREAS,** by amplifying and accelerating a clear focus on preventing illness and encouraging healthy activities as a key strategy for lowering costs and living healthier lives, RiseVT shows the important impact this movement can have on the overall health of Vermonters.
- NOW, THEREFORE,** I, Philip B. Scott, Governor, do hereby proclaim February 10, 2018 as

ACTIVE PLAY AWARENESS DAY

in Vermont.



Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of Vermont on this 10th day of February, A.D. 2018

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Philip B. Scott".

Philip B. Scott
Governor

Brian T. Wilson
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Secretary of Civil and Military Affairs