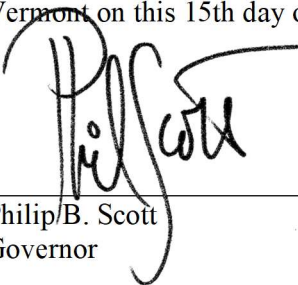


**State of Vermont
Executive Department
A Proclamation**

- WHEREAS,** chambers of commerce strive to address the community’s top challenges and greatest opportunities through advancing the Vermont economy; and
- WHEREAS,** Vermont’s chambers of commerce foster stronger, more sustainable communities through collaboration and providing resources necessary for businesses statewide; and
- WHEREAS,** chambers of commerce advocate, build communities, uphold the core values that define our state through the 35 regional Chambers of Commerce; and
- WHEREAS,** leveraging institutional knowledge and leadership, Vermont’s chambers achieve necessary results to ensure their work stems from diverse perspectives from those with business experience; and
- WHEREAS,** Chambers of Commerce use data to support strengthening Vermont’s economy and to solve unprecedented challenges that local businesses face; and
- WHEREAS,** through community partnerships, chambers create a resilient economy, and prosperity for all Vermonters; and
- WHEREAS,** Chamber of Commerce advocacy creates positive change for Vermont businesses, the state economy, and quality of life for its citizens; and
- WHEREAS,** focusing on economic development, environmental sustainability, and social justice, Vermont’s chambers help build a resilient economic community.
- NOW, THEREFORE,** I, Philip B. Scott, Governor, hereby proclaim the 28th day of October, 2024 as


**SUPPORT YOUR CHAMBER OF COMMERCE DAY
in Vermont.**

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of Vermont on this 15th day of October, A.D. 2024.



Philip B. Scott
Governor




Brittney J. Wilson
Secretary of Civil and Military Affairs