

The State of New Hampshire
By His Excellency
Christopher T. Sununu, Governor
And The Honorable Executive Council

A Proclamation

In the year of our Lord Two Thousand and Nineteen

AMERICAN HISTORY AND FOUNDERS MONTH
NOVEMBER 2019

WHEREAS, as our country approaches the 250th Anniversary of the Declaration of Independence, it is important to recognize that we live in a Nation with vast differences culturally and geographically that is uniquely held together by our common heritage and history; and

WHEREAS, preserving and understanding our American Heritage are intrinsic values that will serve us throughout our lives, bind us together, and allow us to better understand the foundation of our country; and

WHEREAS, our citizen leaders envision a future where educational and service organizations of all manner, support education of our youth in the fields of American history, education, law, political sciences, and other related fields; and

WHEREAS, establishing a National American History Month will bring greater awareness and support through educational publications, programs, historic tours, and scholarships, as well as initiatives to encourage other organizations to engage in similar efforts; and

WHEREAS, National American History Month will aid in discovery, collection, and preservation of historical records, documents, monuments, and structures that help us understand the history of the first Colonists and their descendants; and

WHEREAS, designating November as National American History and Founders Month each year will bring together an understanding of our common heritage, promote patriotism, and respect for the character and heroism of the founding fathers and patriots of America;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, CHRISTOPHER T. SUNUNU, GOVERNOR of the State of New Hampshire, do hereby proclaim **NOVEMBER 2019** as **AMERICAN HISTORY AND FOUNDERS MONTH** in the State of New Hampshire, and call this to the attention of all citizens.

Given at the Executive Council Chamber in Concord, this 6th day of November, in the year of Our Lord, two thousand nineteen, and of the independence of the United States of America, two hundred forty-three.



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