## CITY OF BARRE, VERMONT MAYORAL PROCLAMATION

## A PROCLAMATION FOR CAPS4COPS

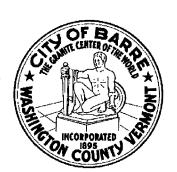
WHEREAS, in 2018 Josh Ingram created a non-profit "Caps4Cops" taking used bottle caps, recycling them and using the money to educate the public about the Police Officers who go above and beyond the badge and showing their accomplishments; and

WHEREAS, the effort to become a police officer is much harder and increasingly more dangerous in an age where the public perceptions of distrust can restrict police from doing their job, and split-second decisions can make them become unemployed, injured, or even lead to their death in the line of duty; and

WHEREAS, The Caps4Cops team has created a full spectrum event helping Vermonters save money by recycling metal, ensuring proper disposal of items that blight our properties or end up in a landfill, and utilizing the proceeds for investment in bridging the divide between Citizens and the Police; and

WHEREAS, in 2019, Police Officer Jason Gould has partnered with Caps4Cops and Buldoc's Salvage Yard to create a scrap metal fundraiser utilizing one collection point next to the Auditorium in the City of Barre.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that I, Lucas J. Herring, Mayor of the City of Barre, Vermont, do hereby proclaim April 27th, 2019, as Caps4Cops Day in the City of Barre and encourage residents to take advantage of the event to recycle metal items and recognize the positive impact made by Law Enforcement in our community.



Lucas J. Herring, Mayor