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**\*\*\*MEDIA ADVISORY\*\*\***

**LT. GOVERNOR MOLLY GRAY TO ENGAGE WITH CALEDONIA COUNTY  
COMMUNITY ON “RECOVER STRONGER TOUR”**

**What:** This summer, Lt. Governor Gray will be spending time in communities meeting directly with Vermonters impacted by the pandemic. Together, they will identify the additional resources needed by working families, businesses, communities, and non-profits to not only recover, but recover stronger, from Covid-19. Vermont is set to receive an historic \$2.7 billion in relief through the American Rescue Plan Act. To embrace this opportunity and to make investments that serve the needs of Vermont communities, the Lt. Governor will center the experiences and voices of Vermonters in the process. This includes taking stock of lessons learned from the pandemic and capturing stories of innovation, perseverance, and resilience. Caledonia County will be the seventh stop on the Recover Stronger Tour.

**Thursday, August 12, 2021:**

9:00-10:00	<p>Hastings Store</p> <p><i>Lt. Governor Gray has extended an open invitation to those in the community to join her for coffee and family-friendly conversation on the future of Vermont. Lt. Governor Gray wants to hear firsthand the experiences and concerns of Vermonters coming out of the pandemic and ideas for investment and a stronger recovery from Covid-19.</i></p> <p><u><a href="#">2748 US-2, West Danville, 05873</a></u></p>
10:30-11:00	<p>Northeast Kingdom Council on Aging</p> <p><i>Lt. Governor Gray will engage in a roundtable discussion with <a href="#">NEK Council on Aging</a> staff to discuss challenges and opportunities presented by the pandemic.</i></p> <p><u><a href="#">481 Summer Street #101, St. Johnsbury, 05819</a></u></p>
11:00-11:30	<p>Northeast Kingdom Council on Aging (NEK Prosper!)</p> <p><i>Lt. Governor Gray will engage in an additional roundtable discussion with the leadership of <a href="#">NEK Prosper!</a>, an accountable healthcare community of NEK human service organizations. (NVRH, NCHC, Umbrella, Green Mountain United</i></p>

	<p><i>Way, NEKHS, NEKCOA, Rural Edge, RCT, NEK Community Action, and the VT Foodbank)</i></p> <p><a href="#"><u>481 Summer Street #101, St. Johnsbury, 05819</u></a></p>
12:00-1:00	<p>Danville Senior Meal Site</p> <p><i>Lt. Governor Gray, joined by NEK Council on Aging leadership, will attend a community lunch at the <a href="#"><u>Senior Meal Site</u></a> to engage directly with Vermonters.</i></p> <p><a href="#"><u>89 Park Street, Danville 05828</u></a></p>
1:30-2:30	<p>St. Johnsbury Restorative Justice</p> <p><i>Lt. Governor Gray will join leaders from St. Johnsbury's Restorative Justice Center and Department of Corrections Staff to discuss the impact of the pandemic on Vermont's restorative justice system.</i></p> <p><a href="#"><u>576 Railroad St Suite #2, St Johnsbury, VT 05819</u></a></p>

**Notes:** Lt. Governor Gray addressed the Recover Stronger Tour in a recent commentary, which provides additional background, and can be read, [here](#).

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