

HEPATITIS C AWARENESS MONTH MAY 2004

PROCLAMATION

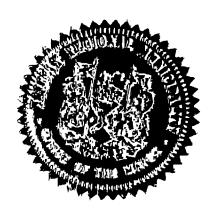
WHEREAS Hepatitis C is a blood infection transmitted by blood and blood products that can lead to liver failure and other severe health problems; and

WHEREAS Hepatitis C is a treatable illness affecting thousands of Nova Scotians; and

WHEREAS Early detection, education and awareness can reduce harm to those already infected with hepatitis C and prevent the spread to others at risk.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that I, Peter J. Kelly, Mayor of the Halifax Regional Municipality, proclaim MAY, 2004, as Hepatitis C Awareness Month, and do commend its thoughtful observation to all citizens of our region.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia this 27th day of April, 2004



Peter J. Kelly Mayor