

## *Proclamation*

### **CPR AWARENESS MONTH NOVEMBER 2007**

WHEREAS: This year's CPR Awareness Month theme, "Pass the Torch of Life", emphasizes the need for Nova Scotians to share CPR training skills with families and friends so they will have core CPR skills that can save a life; and

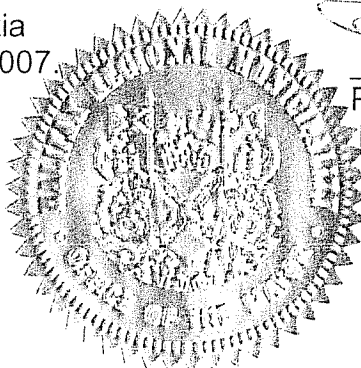
WHEREAS: CPR training teaches individuals to recognize the signals of a heart attack and the signs of a stroke and how to follow the links in the Chain of Survival: phoning 9-1-1, performing CPR, and using a defibrillator until emergency medical services arrive; and

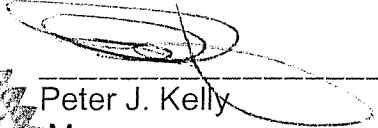
WHEREAS: The Heart and Stroke Foundation of Nova Scotia celebrates CPR Awareness Month every November as a way to encourage Nova Scotians to learn CPR so they can increase a person's chances of surviving a cardiac arrest by 30 per cent or more; and

WHEREAS: The Heart and Stroke Foundation sets the guidelines for CPR in Canada and leads in eliminating heart disease and stroke and reducing their impact through the advancement of research and its application, the promotion of health living and advocacy.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT, I, Mayor Peter J. Kelly on behalf of Halifax Regional Council, do hereby proclaim November 2007 as CPR Awareness Month in the Halifax Regional Municipality.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia  
this 30<sup>th</sup> day of November 2007



  
Peter J. Kelly  
Mayor