



Proclamation Best Buddies Month March 2010

WHEREAS Best Buddies Canada is a national volunteer organization dedicated to creating friendships between student volunteers and individuals from the community with intellectual disabilities; and

WHEREAS involvement in the Best Buddies program provides leadership opportunities and experience for student volunteers, and social interaction for individuals with intellectual disabilities; and

WHEREAS Best Buddies is present in nearly 200 universities, colleges and high schools across Canada, including in Halifax, and is established in 42 nations around the world; and

WHEREAS Best Buddies has worked with students from Halifax, and various community agencies, including students at Dalhousie University; and is celebrated as Best Buddies Month by participants around the world.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that, I, Mayor Peter Kelly, on behalf of Halifax Regional Council, do hereby proclaim the month of March 2010 as **Best Buddies Month** in the Halifax Regional Municipality.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia
this 23rd day of February, 2010.

Peter Kelly
Mayor

