



## PROCLAMATION

### WASTE REDUCTION WEEK OCTOBER 18- 24, 2010

WHEREAS the generation of solid waste and the needless waste of water and energy sources are recognized as global environmental problems; and

WHEREAS municipal governments have an important role to play in promoting waste reduction, reuse, recycling, composting, and other conservation measures; and

WHEREAS residents of Halifax Regional Municipality continue to commit to increasing our solid waste diversion rate both at home and at work; and

WHEREAS residents of Halifax Regional Municipality are participating in our second Curbside Give Away Weekend; and

WHEREAS communities, businesses and organizations across Canada have committed to working together to raise awareness of these issues during Waste Reduction Week in Canada.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT, I, Mayor Peter Kelly, on behalf of members of Halifax Regional Council, do hereby proclaim October 18-24, 2010, as **Waste Reduction Week** in the Halifax Regional Municipality.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia  
this 19<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2010.

  
Peter Kelly  
Mayor

