



## ***Proclamation***

### **African, Caribbean and Black Canadian HIV/AIDS Awareness Day February 7, 2015**

WHEREAS African, Caribbean and Black communities are disproportionately affected by HIV in Canada, and

WHEREAS African, Caribbean and Black communities across Canada are working to raise awareness of HIV and address HIV-related stigma with the first-ever African, Caribbean and Black Canadian HIV/AIDS Awareness Day on February 7, 2015, and

WHEREAS the City of Halifax is committed to addressing HIV in all of our communities, and supporting awareness initiatives within affected communities;

THEREFORE, I, Mayor Mike Savage on behalf of Halifax Regional Council do hereby proclaim February 7<sup>th</sup> as African, Caribbean and Black Canadian HIV/AIDS Awareness Day and encourage supporting this initiative.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia  
this 7<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2015



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Mike Savage  
Mayor