

## **Proclamation**

## Bladder Cancer Awareness Day September 27<sup>th</sup>, 2015

WHEREAS, bladder cancer is the 5<sup>th</sup> most common cancer in Canada and an estimated 8,300 Canadians will be diagnosed with the disease this year; and

Bladder Cancer Canada helps bladder cancer patients and their support teams address day-to-day issues of this disease, increases awareness of bladder cancer among the general public and medical community and funds research, which pursues the diagnosis, treatment and elimination of bladder cancer; and

Eighty Five percent of Bladder Cancer Canada's funding is raised during annual Awareness Walks across Canada; and

September 27, 2015 is the date of the Bladder Cancer Awareness Walk in Halifax;

**THEREFORE**, I, Mayor Mike Savage, on behalf of Regional Council, do hereby proclaim September 27, 2015 as "Bladder Cancer Awareness Day" in Halifax and encourage all citizens of HRM to join in the walk and raise awareness.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia this 27<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2015



Original Signed

Mike Savage Mayor