

## JUNO BEACH CENTRE JUNE 6, 2003

## PROCLAMATION

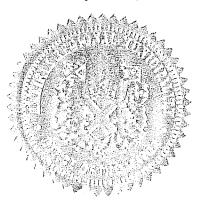
**WHEREAS** the Juno Beach Centre project was developed by a group of World War II veterans who participated in the D-Day landings on June 6th 1944 and the subsequent battles in Normandy and through Western Europe; and

whereas the Juno Beach Centre at Courseulles-sur-Mer in Normandy will provide recognition of Canada's military and civilian contributions during the Second World War and it will preserve for future generations the knowledge of the contributions of that generation of Canadians and honour the gifts of valour and freedom that were given by all Canadians who participated; and

**WHEREAS** the Minister of Canadian Heritage has designated the Juno Beach landing site to be a site of National Historic Significance to Canada;

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT,** I, Peter J. Kelly, Mayor of the Halifax Regional Municipality, do hereby declare June 6, 2003 a Day of Recognition commemorating the opening of this historic site.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia this 27th day of May, 2003



Peter J. Kelly Mayor