

WEGENER'S GRANULOMATOSIS AWARENESS WEEK OCTOBER 5-11, 2004

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS Wegener's Granulomatosis disease is an uncommon, chronic, vasculitis illness; and

WHEREAS the early, correct diagnosis of Wegener's Granulomatosis is very important for successful disease treatment; and

WHEREAS Wegener's Granulomatosis disease drastically affects the lives of its victims each year; and

WHEREAS raising awareness in the general public and medical community will highlight the need for better treatments and research into the cause and cure of the disease; and

WHEREAS there are over 5,000 Wegener's patients and family members in 58 countries; and

WHEREAS the Wegener's Granulomatosis Association, a worldwide health support organization,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Peter J. Kelly, Mayor of the Halifax Regional Municipality, do hereby proclaim October 5-11, 2004 as Wegener's Granulomatosis Awareness Week in the Halifax Regional Municipality.

has headquarters in Kansas City, Missouri.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia this 5th day of October, 2004

