



Proclamation
Maple Leaf Day
September 23, 2009

- WHEREAS Trees are a very important part of us and we want to make sure that the environmental and economic benefits to our citizens are celebrated; and
- WHEREAS This is the first time that one official day has been set aside to celebrate trees in Canada - it coincides with National Forest Week, the last week of September; and
- WHEREAS The maple is one of 306 species of trees that grow in Canada - well known as the symbol of Canada as seen on our flag and present in one species or another in almost all parts of the country.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT, I, Mayor Peter Kelly, on behalf of Halifax Regional Council, do hereby proclaim September 23, 2009 as Maple Leaf Day in the Halifax Regional Municipality.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia
this 22nd day of September, 2009.


Peter Kelly
Mayor

