



PROCLAMATION

WASTE REDUCTION WEEK OCTOBER 19- 25, 2009

WHEREAS the generation of solid waste and the needless waste of water and energy sources are recognized as global environmental problems; and

WHEREAS municipal governments have an important role to play in promoting waste reduction, reuse, recycling, composting, and other conservation measures; and

WHEREAS residents of Halifax Regional Municipality continue to commit to increasing our solid waste diversion rate both at home and at work; and

WHEREAS communities, businesses and organizations across Canada have committed to working together to raise awareness of these issues during Waste Reduction Week in Canada;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT, I, Mayor Peter Kelly, on behalf of Halifax Regional Council, do hereby proclaim October 19-25, 2009, as **Waste Reduction Week** in the Halifax Regional Municipality.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia
20th day of October, 2009.

Peter Kelly
Mayor

