



August 28, 2013

Mayor Mike Savage  
Halifax Regional Municipality  
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Dear ~~Mayor Savage~~ <sup>MIKE</sup>:

I am planning a ribbon cutting ceremony to commemorate the renaming of Montebello Park to "P02 Craig Blake Memorial Park". The official ceremony, which will be attended by Admiral John Newton and Mrs. Priscilla Blake, begins at noon on September 21, 2013. Following the ceremony, there will be a community barbeque and local musician Cory Tetford will perform a song.

Petty Officer 2nd Class Craig Blake was a member of the Canadian Navy who served with the Fleet Diving Unit Atlantic, Nova Scotia. During his first tour of duty in Afghanistan in 2010, P02 Blake, a married father of two, was killed by an improvised explosive. He had only been in the country for a few weeks.

The Canadian Military is an important component of this tribute and they have acknowledged the importance of this dedication by supporting my request for a flypast of a Sea King helicopter from 12 Wing Shearwater.

Should we receive confirmation from the Royal Canadian Air Force that they will be part of this park renaming event, there is a possibility of Sea King helicopters flying at levels as low as 500 feet over the park sometime between 12:30 pm and 1:00 pm. It is my understanding that should you grant this permission, we will then require a Motion of Council for final approval.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. I look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

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~~Darren Fisher~~  
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