

## **Proclamation**

## Childhood Cancer Awareness Month September 2014

WHEREAS 1500 children in Canada are diagnosed with cancer each year, with 1 in 4 succumbing to the disease;

Awareness of childhood cancer can lead to earlier diagnosis and increased funding for research;

Childhood Cancer Awareness Month is an opportunity for residents of Halifax to show their support in the fight against childhood cancer.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT, I, Mayor Mike Savage, on behalf of Halifax Regional Council, do hereby proclaim September 2014 as "Childhood Cancer Awareness Month" in HRM and strongly encourage all residents of Halifax to continue to recognize and support the fight against cancer.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia this 1" day of September, 2014



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Mike Savage Mayor