



## ***Proclamation***

### **Halifax Celtic Festival September 18<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup>, 2015**

Whereas; as part of Nova Scotia's rich diversity, Halifax Celtic Festival honors and celebrates the presence of people who have an ancestral background or a connection to the Celtic languages, cultures and heritage.

The Festival, through song, music, dance, storytelling, workshops and talks, people share Celtic languages and their cultural expressions in Nova Scotia, Halifax Celtic Festival welcomes all Nova Scotians to experience the unique and diverse languages and cultures connected to the peoples whose origins are Ireland, Scotland, the Isle of Man, Gaelic Nova Scotia, Wales, Cornwall and Brittany.

Halifax Celtic Festival refers to these as the 7 Celtic Nations and acknowledges, celebrates and promotes the unique identities of the peoples who share and live out the languages and cultures of these great Nations.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT, I, Mayor Mike Savage, on behalf of Halifax Regional Council do hereby proclaim September 18<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup>, 2015 as "Halifax Celtic Festival Weekend" in the Halifax Regional Municipality and extend my personal thanks to the Celtic Cultural Society of Nova Scotia and everyone involved in this Halifax Celtic Festival event for keeping up our living heritage!

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia  
this 18<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2015



Original Signed

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Mike Savage  
Mayor