

Proclamation

World Wish Day April 29, 2016

Whereas Make-A-Wish Atlantic Provinces announces **World Wish Day** to celebrate the healing power of a wish in the lives of children with life-threatening medical conditions.

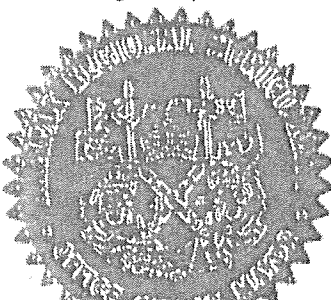
Thirty-six years ago today, Christopher James Greicius received his wish to be a police officer for the day. The contributions of many individuals and the impact of their gift became the inspiration behind Make-A-Wish and the organization's global wish-giving movement.

World Wish Day honours the legacy of one child's dream come true that has inspired an enduring commitment from individuals and businesses in our community, across Atlantic Canada and around the world bringing hope, strength and joy into the lives of over 350,000 children through the powerful, life-changing nature of a wish.

On April 29th, we join with **Make-A-Wish Atlantic Provinces** in thanking the many volunteers, doctors, social workers, child-life specialists, donors and partners whose efforts have made a difference in the life of a child and continue to do so for wishes still waiting.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Mayor Mike Savage, on behalf of Halifax Regional Council, do hereby proclaim April 29, 2016 as "World Wish Day" in the Halifax Regional Municipality and invite all citizens to observe this day - a day that celebrates the power of hope, the power of community and the power of a wish.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia
This 29th day of April, 2016



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Mike Savage
Mayor