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**33** August 2017

Mayor Mike Savage Mayor of Halifax Regional Municipality PO Box 1749 Halifax, NS. B3J 3A5

Your Worship,

This year's parade and remembrance of military personnel who served with valor and distinction and gave the ultimate sacrifice in the First World War, the Second World War, the Korean War, in United Nations Peacekeeping missions and most recently in Afghanistan will occur on Saturday, 11 November 2017. The ceremony will consist of a military parade assembling on Barrington Street at 1040 hrs and then proceeding north to Grand Parade Cenotaph for the Remembrance Day service. The event will also include the participation of the 1<sup>st</sup> Field Regiment firing a 21 gun salute from Citadel Hill, and a fly-past by a Sea King helicopter from 12 Wing Shearwater.

At 1102 hrs, the first gun of the 21 gun salute will be fired, and a Sea King helicopter will pass over the Halifax Grand Parade flying from North to South. As such, it is requested that the Halifax Regional Municipality grant permission for the Canadian Forces to fly a Sea King helicopter over Grand Parade at a height of 500 feet above the highest obstacle.

Subject to the city's authorization, DND will execute in a timely manner the release of Notice to Airmen messages and public advisories of the over-flight activity.

The continued support of the Halifax Regional Municipality to this annual remembrance of our shared history is very much appreciated. Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Chief Petty Officer Second Class Kevin Reid or Petty Officer First Class James Casey at (902) 721-8322/(902) 721-5408.

Yours truly,

**Original Signed** 

P. W. Forget Captain (N) Base Commander Canadian Forces Base Halifax



