

## **Proclamation**

## National Public Safety Telecommunicator's Week April 10 – 16, 2016

WHEREAS: Across Canada, in times of intense personal crisis and community disasters, the first point of to those seeking all classes of emergency services information is 911. The Public Safety Communications Centres that receive these calls are the first and single point of contact for persons seeking immediate assistance during an emergency; and

April 10 – 16, 2016 is National Public Safety Telecommunication's Week. This week, annually, honours the men and women who answer emergency calls, dispatch emergency professionals and equipment to render life-saving assistance to the citizens of Canada; and

Halifax Regional Municipality employs 80 Public Safety Telecommunicator professionals who are the first link to all citizens seeking emergency services.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT, I, Mayor Mike Savage, on behalf of the Halifax Regional Municipality do hereby proclaim, April 10 – 16, 2016 as National Public Safety Telecommuicator's Week in Halifax Regional Municipality.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia This 10<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2016



Original Signed

Mike Savage Mayor