

Proclamation

Prostate Cancer Awareness Month September 2018

WHEREAS: Prostate cancer is the most common cancer among Canadian men; and

WHEREAS: One in every 7 men will be diagnosed with the disease during his life time. An estimated 11 Canadian men will die from prostate cancer every day; and

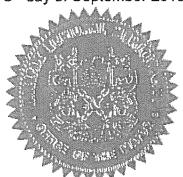
WHEREAS: The survival rate for prostate cancer can be close to 100% when detected early; and

WHEREAS: Those with a family history of the disease, or those of African or Caribbean descent are at a greater risk of developing prostate cancer; and

WHEREAS: The city of Halifax supports Prostate Cancer and all individuals committed to raising awareness about prostate cancer; and

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT, I, Mayor Mike Savage, on behalf of Halifax Regional Council do hereby proclaim September 2018 as "Prostate Cancer Awareness Month", in the Halifax Regional Municipality.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia this 3rd day of September 2018



Original Signed

Mike Savage Mayor