## Information Item No. 2



## **Proclamation**

Falun Dafa Day May 13, 2020

WHEREAS Falun Dafa, also known as Falun Gong, is a peaceful and advanced cultivation practice system that centers around the universal principles of Truthfulness, Compassion and Forbearance, and consists of five gentle exercises, including mediation; and

Falun Dafa was first introduced to the world by Mr. Li Hongzhi; and has demonstrated a steadfast commitment to improving health in mind body and spirit, and to enhancing the well-being of people from all walks of society, who follow its tenet; and

All Falun Dafa activities, including classes and practices, are offered by volunteers, opened to the public, and free of charge; over 100 million practitioners in 114 countries have been benefited from practicing Falun Dafa; and

Falun Dafa practitioners in the community, including Halifax, across Canada celebrate the Falun Dafa Day on May 13<sup>th</sup>, the 28<sup>th</sup> anniversary;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT, I, Mayor Mike Savage, on behalf of Halifax Regional Council do hereby proclaim May 13, 2020 to be Falun Dafa Day, honoring Truthfulness compassion forbearance.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia This 13th day of May, 2020



Original Signed

Mike Savage Mayor