## Extracted from 102-1A, City of Halifax Council Minutes, 1993-04-15, p.267-8, Halifax Municipal Archives Question Alderman Jeffrey Re: Explosion Medallion

Alderman Jeffrey noted that he has received a number of calls from residents pertaining to a medallion which is being issued by the Mayor's Office. He indicated that he was not aware of such a medallion and has been informed that it is a 75th anniversary medallion pertaining

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to the Explosion and that the medallion has inscribed on it "compliments of Mayor Moira Ducharme".

Her Worship Mayor Ducharme advised that there was a coin given to the survivors of the Explosion, but that there is no medallion. Her Worship added that this coin was made specifically for people who were alive during the Explosion and that it was her belief both Aldermen Hanson and Stone received one at the December 6th reception for the survivors of the Explosion.

Alderman Jeffrey asked for a report showing how these coins came about, why all Aldermen were not informed or consulted about them, the cost, and how many were given out. He further noted that he would like to know why these coins indicated they were from the Mayor's Office and did not include the Aldermen.