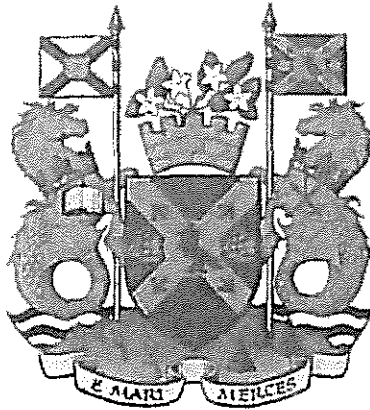


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## ***Proclamation***

**Kin Canada  
February 19<sup>th</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

WHEREAS, Kin Canada has been a vibrant, responsible, all-Canadian association of service clubs devoted to the concept of serving its communities throughout Canada since its founding in Hamilton, Ontario, on February 20, 1920; and

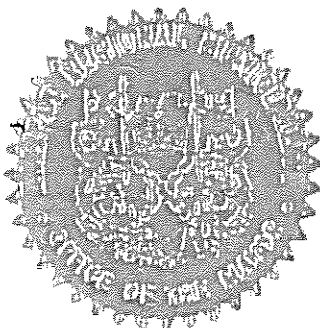
Kin Canada has been dedicated to meeting the needs of our community and has diligently sought the development and completion of timely, relevant programs to meet the needs and challenges of our ever evolving society; and

Kin Canada is celebrating its 97<sup>th</sup> anniversary on February 20, 2017; and

Kin Canada encourage all citizens to welcome the opportunity to pause and reflect with pride on the rich heritage of accomplishment throughout the 97 years Kinsmen, Kinette and Kin Clubs have been in existence in Canada.

THEREFORE, I, Mayor Mike Savage, on behalf of members of Halifax Regional Council do hereby declare, Monday February 20<sup>th</sup>, 2017 as "Kinsmen and Kinettes Day" and declare the week of February 19 - 25, 2017 as Kinsmen and Kinettes Week and urge all citizens to salute their local Kinsmen and Kinettes.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia  
this 20<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2017



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Mike Savage  
Mayor