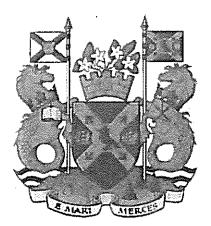
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Proclamation

Heart Month February 2018

WHEREAS, Heart disease and stroke take the life of one Canadian every 7 minutes.

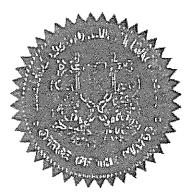
Heart & Stroke's mission is to prevent disease, save lives and promote recovery. As a volunteer-based health charity, we strive to tangibly improve the health of every Canadian family, every day.

February is Heart Month in Canada, during which Heart & Stroke Canvassing Campaign takes place, to support on-going heart disease and stroke life-saving research, health promotion and advocacy;

We applaud and commend the thousands of volunteers, staff and researchers of the Heart & Stroke for their dedication and commitment and wish them continued success;

Therefore I, Mayor Mike Savage, on behalf of Halifax Regional Council, do hereby proclaim February 2018 as "Heart Month" in HRM. I further urge all citizens to cooperate with Heart and Stoke Canvassing Campaign, and all civic, social and fratemal organizations and business establishments to give this campaign the greatest possible support.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia this 1st day of February, 2018



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Mike Savage Mayor