



Proclamation

National Drowning Prevention Week July 17th – 23rd, 2016

National Drowning Prevention Week aims to focus community and media attention on the drowning problem and drowning prevention; and

Promote and encourage the application of Water Smart behaviour by all individuals by providing information and resources necessary to remain safe both in, and around open bodies of water; and

Through public education and Water Smart awareness, this national initiative aims to prevent occurrences of accidental drowning, and promote a safe aquatic environment for the public to enjoy. It is only through education and a great respect for the potential that large bodies of water present may we truly appreciate the beauty and recreation opportunities offered by open bodies of water.

THEREFORE, be it resolved that I, Mayor Mike Savage, on behalf of Halifax Regional Council, do hereby proclaim July 17th – 23rd, 2016 as "National Drowning Prevention Week" in the Halifax Regional Municipality.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia
this 17th, day of July, 2016



Original Signed

Mike Savage
Mayor