

Proclamation

World Sickle Cell Day June 19, 2018

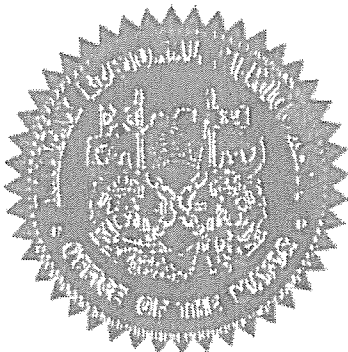
Whereas, Sickle Cell Disease is an inherited disease which causes red blood cells to become stiff and block blood vessels in the body, causing pain and damage; and

Whereas, about 5,000 Canadians live with Sickle Cell Disease; and

Whereas, World Sickle Cell Day is a day to promote education and understanding about this multisystem disease; and

THEREFORE, be it resolved that I, Mayor Mike Savage, on behalf of Halifax Regional Council, do hereby proclaim, June 19, 2018 to be World Sickle Cell Day in the Halifax Regional Municipality.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia
this 19th, day of June 2018



Original Signed

Mike Savage
Mayor