



Proclamation

World Sickle Cell Day June 19, 2020

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 death; and

Whereas, about 6,000 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, and Halifax Regional Council, do hereby proclaim, June 19 to be World Sickle Cell Day in the Halifax Regional Municipality.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia
This 19th, day of June 2020




Mike Savage
Mayor