

## **Proclamation**

Halifax Pride Festival July 16-26, 2020

WHEREAS, this marks the 33rd year for the Halifax Pride Festival; and

The Halifax Pride Society promotes the positive contributions of persons of diverse sexual orientations and gender identities in the Halifax Regional Municipality; and

The Halifax Pride Society organizes a festival each year to celebrate this diversity; and

The Halifax Pride Society encourages all members of the Two-Spirit, Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Intersex, Queer, Questioning, Asexual, and Pansexual communities to celebrate their sexual orientation and gender identity through Pride events and gatherings; and

The Halifax Pride Society fosters a greater understanding and acknowledgement of this diversity in Nova Scotia's capital region.

THEREFORE, be it resolved that I, Mayor Mike Savage, on behalf of Halifax Regional Council do hereby proclaim July 16-26, 2020 as Halifax Pride Festival in the Halifax Regional Municipality.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia this 16th day of July 2020



Mike Savage Mayor