

## **Proclamation**

## **Indian Independence Month**

August 2020

Whereas; as part of Nova Scotia's rich diversity, Atlantic Spinners Art and Dance Society honors and celebrates the presence of peoples who have an ancestral background or a connection to the Indian cultures and heritages.

The celebration, through food, music, dance, storytelling, workshops and talks, share Indian languages and their cultural expressions in Nova Scotia, Atlantic Spinners welcomes all Nova Scotian's to experience the unique diverse culture connected to the peoples whose origin is India.

Atlantic Spinners recognizes the rich culture and heritage of India and would like to celebrate the liberation of Art and Artistic expression India got on August 15<sup>th</sup>, 1947. Diverse, Art and Culture of India has been influenced from across the world, by a history that is centuries old.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT, I, Mayor Mike Savage, on behalf of Halifax Regional Council do hereby proclaim August 2020 as "Indian Independence Month" in the Halifax Regional Municipality and extend my personal thanks to the Atlantic Spinners Art and Dance Society and everyone involved in this event for keeping up the living heritage.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia this 1st day of August 2020

