

Proclamation

Nigeria Week October 1-9, 2022

WHEREAS the Halifax Regional Municipality is committed to celebrating the cultural heritage of all citizens; and

WHEREAS October 1st is the day Nigeria became an independent country – and is a time for all Nigerians, home and abroad, to celebrate and recognize the contributions and achievements of Nigerians all over the world.

WHEREAS 2022 marks the 62nd year since Nigeria's independence from the British Government.

WHEREAS 2022 is the eighth year of the United Nations International Decade for People of African Descent under the pillars of Recognition, Justice, and Development.

WHEREAS, Nigeria Week is an opportunity to celebrate the history, culture, and achievements of Nigerian people in the Halifax Regional Municipality, Nova Scotia, Canada, and the rest of the world.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that I, Mayor Mike Savage, on behalf of Halifax Regional Council do hereby proclaim the first week of October every year as Nigeria Week in the Halifax Regional Municipality.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia this 1st day of October 2022

