

Item No. 1



Proclamation

Bladder Cancer Awareness Month May 2017

WHEREAS, bladder cancer is the 5th most common cancer in Canada and an estimated 8,300 Canadians will be diagnosed with the disease this year; and

Bladder Cancer Canada helps bladder cancer patients and their support teams address day-to-day issues of this disease, increases awareness of bladder cancer among the general public and medical community and funds research, which pursues the diagnosis, treatment and elimination of bladder cancer.

Bladder Cancer Awareness among Canadians is at a relatively early stage and there is little public awareness about the symptoms. Early diagnosis and treatment leads to more positive outcomes.

THEREFORE, I, Mayor Mike Savage, on behalf of Regional Council, do hereby proclaim May 2017 as "Bladder Cancer Awareness Month" in the Halifax Regional Municipality.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia
this 1st day of May, 2017

Original Signed

Mike Savage
Mayor

