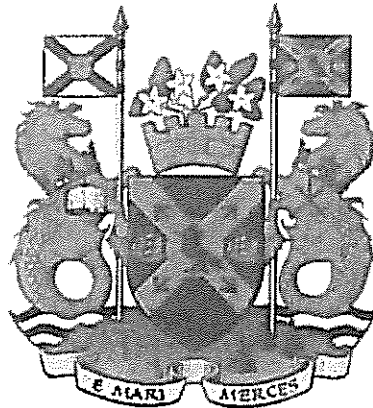


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Proclamation

Parachute Safe Kids Week June 5th - 11th, 2017

WHEREAS, the theme for Parachute Safe Kids Week 2017 is safe active transportation and;

Preventable injuries are the number one killer of Canadians aged 1 to 44. Preventable injuries are costing the Canadian economy tens of billions of dollars and;

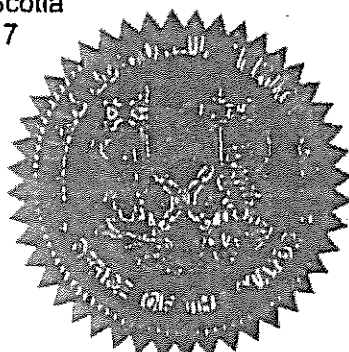
Active transportation is important. It is also one of the riskiest activities for young people to engage in. Child pedestrian injuries are a leading cause of injury-related death for Canadian children aged 14 years and younger and;

Everyone can follow simple road safety tips to keep ourselves and our children safe on the road for years to come and;

Safe Kids Week is a week dedicated to raising awareness and seeking solutions to preventable child fatalities and serious injuries on the road across Canada. Everyone has a role to play in creating change amongst their peers, in classrooms and in their communities.

THEREFORE, I, Mayor Mike Savage on behalf of Regional Council do hereby proclaim June 5th - 11th, 2017 as Parachute Safe Kids Week throughout the Halifax Regional Municipality and encourage citizens to raise awareness.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia
this 5th day of June, 2017



Original Signed

Mike Savage
Mayor