



## Proclamation UFCW Canada Day December 13<sup>th</sup>, 2021

**Whereas**, The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society of Canada (LLSC) celebrates UFCW Canada Day annually. This day serves to celebrate and recognize their single largest supporter, the United Food and Commercial Workers union in Canada (UFCW Canada) and its members – your neighbours working in grocery stores, food processing plants, health care facilities, The Beer Store, security, hospitality, logistics, and other sectors of the economy. This year, UFCW Canada Day takes place on December 13<sup>th</sup>, 2021.

**Whereas**, UFCW Canada members and Local Unions are a tower of hope and financial support for the work of the LLSC to find a cure, provide better therapies and patient support, and raise public awareness that blood cancer is a battle that can be won. Their generous support has helped to fuel what once seemed impossible – research that saves more lives, and critical programs that assist people at every step of their blood cancer experience. Without UFCW Canada members, Local Unions and allies, there would be fewer scientific breakthroughs and less support services available to those newly diagnosed, people in treatment, and those navigating life after a blood cancer.

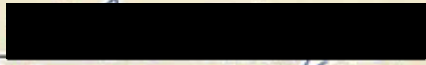
**Whereas**, Despite an extraordinarily challenging year, UFCW Canada members and Local Unions were undeterred in their extraordinary ongoing fundraising efforts, raising more than \$2.1 million dollars in their latest annual campaign to support the lifesaving and lifechanging work of the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society of Canada. Since adopting the LLSC as their charity of choice in 1985, the UFCW family of members, Local Unions, and activists have now raised over \$47.2 million in support of the LLSC.

**Whereas**, UFCW Canada members have also played important roles working relentlessly on the front lines throughout the pandemic to ensure Canadian families have food, security, health care, and vital services they need to stay safe.

**THEREFORE**, be it resolved I, Mayor Mike Savage on behalf of Regional Council do hereby proclaim December 13<sup>th</sup>, 2021 as UFCW Canada Day in the Halifax Regional Municipality.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia,  
This 13th day of December 2021



  
Mike Savage  
Mayor