

## **Proclamation**

## National Public Safety Telecommunicators Week April 13-19, 2025

WHEREAS Across Canada, in times of intense personal crisis and community disasters, the first point of contact for those seeking all classes of emergency services information is 911. The Public Safety Communications Centres that receive these calls are the first and single point of contact for persons seeking immediate assistance during an emergency; and

WHEREAS April 13-19, 2025, is National Public Safety Telecommunicators Week. This week, annually, honours the people who answer emergency calls, dispatch emergency professionals and equipment to render life-saving assistance to the citizens of Canada; and

WHEREAS Halifax Regional Municipality employs 90 Public Safety Telecommunicator professionals who are the first link to all citizens seeking emergency services.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT, I, Mayor Andy Fillmore, on behalf of Halifax Regional Council, do hereby proclaim, April 13-19, 2025 as National Public Safety Telecommunicators Week in Halifax Regional Municipality.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia this 13th day of April 2025

