

Proclamation

Brain Injury Awareness Month

June 2025

WHEREAS brain injury is a leading cause of death and disability, affecting individuals of all ages and walks of life, and can result from trauma, stroke, illness, or other medical conditions; and

WHEREAS more than 70,000 Nova Scotians are currently living with the effects of brain injury, often facing challenges that are invisible, lifelong, and complex; and

WHEREAS individuals living with brain injury—their families and caregivers—require strong support systems, access to resources, rehabilitation and peer support services, and community understanding; and

WHEREAS Brain Injury Awareness Month offers a chance to enhance public knowledge and education, reduce stigma, amplify the voices of survivors, share experiences, and honor the strength and resilience of those affected by brain injury;

NOW THEREFORE, I, Mayor Andy Fillmore of Halifax Regional Council, do hereby proclaim June 2025 as Brain Injury Awareness Month in the Halifax Regional Municipality.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia This month of June 2025



Andy Fillmore Mayor