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Proclamation – National AccessAbility Week

May 28 – June 3, 2023

Whereas under the Accessible Canada Act 2019, c. 10 (Section 133), throughout Canada each year, the week starting on the last Sunday in May is to be known as National AccessAbility Week, and is an opportunity to promote accessibility and inclusion across communities and workplaces, and a time to celebrate the contributions of Canadians with disabilities and to be inspired to further break down barriers; and

Whereas a national accessibility week was first established following Paralympian Rick Hanson's Man in Motion World Tour in 1987; and

Whereas the Town of Oxford is committed to accessibility; and

Whereas the theme of "Not every disability is visible" raises awareness that invisible disabilities are not immediately apparent and can substantially affect a person's ability to carry out day-to-day activities;

Now Therefore Be It Resolved That, I Mayor Greg Henley, on behalf of Oxford Town Council, do hereby proclaim May 28 – June 3, 2023, as 'National AccessAbility Week" in the Town of Oxford.

Dated at Oxford, Nova Scotia
this 24th day of May 2023

Greg Henley
Mayor

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