

THE MUNICIPALITY OF THE COUNTY OF ANNAPOLIS <b>POLICY AND ADMINISTRATION MANUAL</b>	<b>AM - 1.2.5</b>
<b>Section</b> <b>Procedures and Organization of Council</b>	<b>Subject</b> <b>Declaration of Proclamations</b>

- **APPLICATION**  
This policy applies within the Municipality of the County of Annapolis.
- **AUTHORITY**  
Sections 2 and 47(1) & (2), *Municipal Government Act*
- **POLICY INTENT**  
To officially declare proclamations either initiated by the Municipality or are copasetic with activities sponsored by the Municipality.
- **PURPOSE**  
Whereas the Municipality promotes activities for: celebrating various cultures, encouraging active living and health, condemning violence, acknowledging volunteers and seniors, and recommending protection of the environment; the declaration of proclamations relating to such promotions would be appropriate. The listing of proclamations specified in Section 5 can be amended by resolution of Council.

• **SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS AND GUIDELINES**

<b>January:</b> • “Take The Roof Off Winter”	<b>July:</b> • None
<b>February:</b> • African Heritage Month • Feb. 15th-National Flag Day • Third Monday- Nova Scotia Heritage Day	<b>August:</b> • None
<b>March:</b> • March 21st-International Day to End Racism • Epilepsy Awareness Month - March 26 <sup>th</sup> - Purple Day	<b>September:</b> • Right to Know Week
<b>April:</b> • Volunteer Week (always in April) • World Autism Awareness Day (April 2nd) • Earth Day is April 22nd	<b>October:</b> • Mi’kmaq History Month • Waste Reduction Week
<b>May:</b> • Lyme Disease Awareness Month • Emergency Preparedness Week (1st week)	<b>November:</b> • None
<b>June:</b> • Recreation Month • Environment Week	<b>December:</b> None

**Municipal Clerk’s Annotation for Official Policy Book**  
**I certify that this policy was adopted by Municipal Council as indicated below:**  
*Seven (7) Day Notice*..... *Feb. 11, 2020*  
*Council Approval* ..... *April 21, 2020*  
Carolyn Young April 21, 2020  
Municipal Clerk Date  
*At Annapolis Royal Nova Scotia*

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