



The Corporation of the City of Cornwall
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Report

Department: Corporate Services
Division: Clerk's Division
Report Number: 2021-22-Corporate Services
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Meeting Date: February 22, 2021
Subject: Proclamation – Purple Day for Epilepsy Awareness

Purpose

To proclaim March 26, 2021, as “Purple Day for Epilepsy Awareness” in the City of Cornwall and to allow its flag to be flown at 340 Pitt Street from March 26 to March 28, 2021.

Recommendation

That Council proclaim March 26, 2021, as “Purple Day for Epilepsy Awareness” in the City of Cornwall and allow its flag to be flown at 340 Pitt Street from March 26 to March 28, 2021.

Background / Discussion

Louise Blanchet, an ambassador for Epilepsy Ottawa, is requesting that Council proclaim March 26, 2021, as “Purple Day for Epilepsy Awareness” in the City of Cornwall. Purple Day is an international grassroots effort dedicated to increasing awareness about epilepsy worldwide. On March 26th annually, people in countries around the world are invited to wear purple and host events in support of epilepsy awareness. Canada is the only country in the world who officially recognizes March 26 as Purple Day through the Purple Day Act implemented on June 28, 2012.

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