



PROCLAMATION

Childhood Cancer Awareness Month

- Whereas,** *Cancer is the leading cause of death by disease of Canadian children with 1 in 5 children not surviving beyond 5 years after diagnosis; and*
- Whereas,** *Approximately 1,500 children and youth are diagnosed each year, and families facing the journey of childhood cancer need the best possible medical, financial and emotional support we can provide; and*
- Whereas,** *Organizations like Childhood Cancer Canada supports children and their families through a variety of programs and support such as Emergency Funds, Empower Packs, Survivorship Scholarships, the Benevolent Fund and more; and*
- Whereas,** *We recognize that Childhood Cancer Canada is the leading primary funding partner for clinical trials and childhood cancer research, using their resources to improve the outcomes and experiences of families faced with childhood cancer.*
- Now, Therefore,** *I, Allan Thompson, Mayor of the Town of Caledon, do hereby proclaim*

September 2022

as

“Childhood Cancer Awareness Month”

in the Town of Caledon and do commend its thoughtful observance to all citizens of our municipality.

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Mayor Allan Thompson