


# PROCLAMATION

## MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS MONTH May 2018

- Whereas:** multiple sclerosis is a chronic, often disabling neurological disease affecting an estimated 100,000 Canadians and more than 12,000 British Columbians; and
- Whereas:** multiple sclerosis (MS) symptoms vary widely and may lead to problems with numbness, coordination, vision and speech, as well as extreme fatigue and even paralysis; and
- Whereas:** there is no known cause of, prevention of, or cure for MS; and
- Whereas:** the Multiple Sclerosis Society of Canada, is the only national organization in Canada that supports both MS research and services for people with MS and their families; and
- Whereas:** annual fundraising events such as the MS WALK, MS Bike Tour, and A & W's Burgers to Beat MS support programs to enhance the lives of people and their families who are affected by multiple sclerosis, and supports MS research in Canada; and
- Whereas:** together we will find ways to enhance the quality of lives for people affected by MS and to find a cure to end MS; and

Now therefore, as Mayor of the City of Prince George,  
I proclaim **May 2018** as: "**MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS MONTH**"  
in the City of Prince George.



Lyn Hall, Mayor  
City of Prince George