

The Council of the Corporation of the Town of Greater Napanee hereby proclaims the month of June 9-15, 2024 as "World Blood Donor Week" in the Town of Greater Napanee.

WHEREAS over half of Canadians will require blood or blood products for themselves or a family member during their lifetime;

AND WHEREAS in our country, of those eligible to donate, only 4% do. This makes these generous donors all the more deserving of our appreciation and recognition, but those numbers also shine a light on the need for more people to join Canada's Lifeline;

AND WHEREAS every blood donation has the power to save the lives of up to three people;

AND WHEREAS blood donors in Canada are the lifeblood of their communities, and their acts of kindness and generosity should be honoured with a national week of celebration;

AND WHEREAS National Blood Donor Week is celebrated June 9 to 15 to honor those who give the gift of life.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT The Town of Greater Napanee HEREBY PROCLAIMS June 9-15, 2024 be recognized as World Blood Donor Week in the Town of Greater Napanee.

Mayor Terry Richardson

