



# THE CITY OF WINDSOR

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

DREW DILKENS, DBA  
MAYOR

## PROCLAMATION

### “United Nations International Day for Elder Persons and Canada Seniors Day” October 1, 2023

- WHEREAS:** The U.N. in 1990 passed a resolution “International Day for Elder Persons” reflecting on the contributions of seniors to the economic and social fabric of society; and,
- WHEREAS:** The Government of Canada in 2010 declared “Celebrating Canada Seniors Act” supporting the creation of a National Seniors Day to recognize the significant and continuing contribution seniors make to their families, communities, workplaces, and society; and,
- WHEREAS:** Windsor is establishing in 2023 an Age Friendly Working Group, superseding The Seniors Advisory Committee (SAC), providing a means for a conduit of information between the City’s seniors, Council and Administration; and,
- WHEREAS:** Windsor via SAC and the Age Friendly Network in 2012 were accorded membership in the World Health Organization (WHO) Global Network of Age Friendly Communities (AFC); and,
- WHEREAS:** CARP Windsor Essex Chapter hosted in partnership with SAC November 2017 an AFC Seniors Summit moving forward AFC Final Report 2014-2020 to the WHO; and,
- WHEREAS:** Windsor in 2018 was awarded an Ontario Community Recognition Award for its age friendly activities through SAC and the AFC Network
- THEREFORE:** I, Drew Dilkens, Mayor of the City of Windsor, do hereby proclaim

**October 1, 2023**

**“United Nations International Day for Elder Persons and Canada Seniors Day”  
in the City of Windsor.**



  
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Mayor