

THE CITY OF WINDSOR

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

DREW DILKENS, DBA
MAYOR

PROCLAMATION

"Childhood Cancer Awareness Month" September 2024

WHEREAS:

September is officially recognized internationally as Childhood Cancer Awareness

Month; and,

WHEREAS:

The most recent data shows that cancer remains the leading cause of disease-related

death in children; and,

WHEREAS:

Cancer in children affects aspects of their physical, emotional, and social development,

as well as their family and school life, effects which research shows are long-lasting:

and,

WHEREAS:

Childcan believes childhood cancer must be designated a child health priority, and that

support services for families are critical; and,

WHEREAS:

Childcan raises awareness and funds to provide personalized, responsive, and

compassionate programs and services to families facing the childhood cancer journey

from diagnosis, through treatment, post-treatment care, or bereavement; and,

WHEREAS:

Organizations which support families dealing with childhood cancer are working

together to raise awareness of this disease and its devastating effects, as well as

raising funds to support the affected families and children; and,

WHEREAS:

Raised awareness and funds will help these families and children deal with the

emotional and financial toll; and,

THEREFORE: I, Drew Dilkens, Mayor of the City of Windsor, do hereby proclaim



September 2024

"Childhood Cancer Awareness Month" in the City of Windsor.

Mayor