

Proclamation

National Seniors Day & United Nations International Day of Older Persons October 1, 2021

WHEREAS: communities across Canada join together on October 1 to recognize National Seniors Day and the United Nations International Day of Older Persons; and

WHEREAS: National Seniors Day focuses on celebrating and honoring the fundamental role seniors play in the prosperity of our communities and our country; and

WHEREAS: seniors in St. John's contribute in many ways to our community and are involved in all aspects of our lives, as parents, grandparents, teachers, volunteers, mentors, and neighbors; and

WHEREAS: C.A.R.P. is an advocate to ensure fair treatment for all seniors in an age friendly city; and,

WHEREAS: for 2021, due to the challenges of meeting for large gatherings because of the pandemic, C.A.R.P. NL and the Seniors Advisory Committee of the City of St. John's have partnered to develop a program of activities to manage smaller sized events that adhere to required health protocols; and

WHEREAS: the City of St. John's today launched these week-long activities with a flag raising ceremony at 10:00 AM this morning, September 27, 2021.

THEREFORE, I, Danny Breen, Mayor of the City of St. John's, do hereby proclaim the week of September 27, 2021 – October 1, 2021, as Seniors Week in the City of St. John's and urge my fellow citizens to recognize the crucial role played by older Canadians in our community and our Province.

Dated this 27th day of September 2021.



A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Danny Breen", is written over a horizontal line.

Danny Breen, Mayor

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