

# Proclamation

## **Rogers Hometown Hockey Week October 14 to October 20, 2019**

WHEREAS: the City of St. John's recognizes the importance of events in the community; and

WHEREAS: Rogers Hometown Hockey, now in its sixth season, is a travelling hockey festival with a live broadcast that showcases 25 communities from coast to coast; and

WHEREAS: in conjunction with Rogers Hometown Hockey, the City of St. John's engages members of Minor Hockey associations in St. John's as well as community partners, and volunteers to celebrate the role that hockey plays in maintaining a healthy, vibrant community; and

WHEREAS: Rogers Hometown Hockey will set up outside Dominion Memorial Market at Quidi Vidi and activities will include live entertainment, National Hockey League (NHL) alumni meet and greets, a live pre-game and NHL game broadcast with Ron MacLean and Tara Slone, and will highlight the City of St. John's, its residents, and their stories; and

WHEREAS: "Rogers Hometown Hockey Week" speaks to the City's work within the community to enhance a sense of pride, belonging, place, and engagement and supports how we connect with each other, within our neighbourhoods, within the larger community, and with the city organization and Council.

THEREFORE: I, Mayor Danny Breen, do hereby proclaim October 14 to October 20, 2019, as Rogers Hometown Hockey Week in the City of St. John's.

Signed at City Hall, St. John's, NL on this 15<sup>th</sup> day of October 2019.

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Danny Breen, Mayor