

## Proclamation Violence Prevention Month 2022

WHEREAS, the Violence Prevention Initiative of the Government of Newfoundland and Labrador is based on a vision that the people of our province will live in safe, caring communities, where there is an inherent respect for each other, and violence of any sort is unacceptable.

WHEREAS, the solution to eradicating violence against those most at risk in our society - women, children and youth, Aboriginal women and children, persons with disabilities, older persons, and others who are victims of violence because of ethnicity, sexual orientation, or economic status - is through a collaborative effort between the Provincial Government and the community to improve services and to educate all residents of our province about violence prevention;

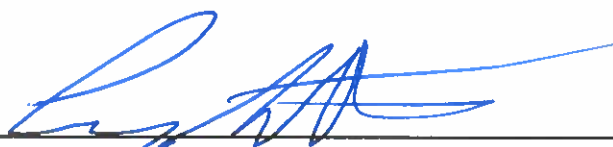
WHEREAS, the municipality of Torbay, with its community partners have been working to improve services to victims of violence and violence prevention programs for many years;

WHEREAS, the municipality of Torbay promotes self-reliant, healthy, educated individuals and families living in safe, nurturing communities;

WHEREAS, the municipality of Torbay have made a commitment to partner with the community to seek long-term solutions to violence;

I am pleased to proclaim the month of February 2022 to be Violence Prevention Month. I encourage all residents of Torbay to recognize that violence prevention is everyone's responsibility and support violence prevention activities in our community.

February 21, 2022

  
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Mayor of the Town of Torbay

