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WHEREAS the Quebec Charter of Human Rights and Freedoms recognizes that no one can be discriminated against on the basis of sexual orientation or gender identity or expression; and


WHEREAS Quebec is a society open to everyone, including lesbian, gay, bisexual and trans people (LGBTQ+) and to all other people who identify with sexual diversity and the multiplicity of gender identities and expressions; and

WHEREAS, despite recent efforts towards greater inclusion of LGBT people, homophobia and transphobia are still present in society; and,

WHEREAS May 17th is the International Day Against Homophobia and Transphobia, is celebrated as such in many countries and is the result of a Quebec-based initiative promoted by Fondation Émergence starting in 2003; and,

WHEREAS there is reason to support the efforts of Fondation Émergence in holding this day; and,

NOW THEREFORE it is resolved to proclaim May 17, 2022, as INTERNATIONAL DAY AGAINST HOMOPHOBIA AND TRANSPHOBIA and to recognize this day as such.



Craig Scott, Mayor
Town of Torbay

Signed this day, May 16, 2022

