Proclamation

CASEY's Week of Recognition to Address Sexual Exploitation of Youth May 1 – 8, 2021

WHEREAS: The Coalition Against the Sexual Exploitation of Youth works to address and prevent these harms to young people in our city; and

WHEREAS: CASEY is committed to raising awareness of this issue, training individuals throughout our province, and creating safe spaces for persons with lived experience to heal and grow; and

WHEREAS: CASEY is launching a new training opportunity to address on-line exploitation, hosting an art show, and gathering with folks with lived experience to reflect on our work and accomplishments; and

WHEREAS: These activities will raise awareness throughout the city of this issue, and provide specific resources for youth, parents, professionals and the general public to join us in our work to prevent exploitation.

THEREFORE: I, Mayor Danny Breen, do hereby proclaim May 1-8, 2021, as CASEY's week of recognition to address sexual exploitation in the City of St. John's.

Signed at City Hall, St. John's, NL on this 1st day of May, 2021.

Danny Breen, Mayor