



## **P R O C L A M A T I O N**

### **MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS AWARENESS MONTH**

- WHEREAS** MS is a chronic, often disabling neurological disease affecting an estimated 3,500 Manitobans; and
- WHEREAS** symptoms of MS vary widely and may lead to problems with numbness, coordination, vision and speech, as well as extreme fatigue and event paralysis; and
- WHEREAS** there is no known cause of, or cure for, MS; and
- WHEREAS** the MS Society of Canada, founded in 1948, is the only voluntary organization in Canada that supports both MS research and services for people with MS and for their families; and
- WHEREAS** the MS Society of Canada has provided more than \$80 million for MS research during the past 50 years, as well as a wide range of programs, services and social action for people with MS; and
- WHEREAS** the Parkland-Northman Chapter of the MS Society, as part of the Manitoba Division, serves people affected by MS throughout the Parkland-Northman Region.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Jim Scott, Mayor of the Town of The Pas in the Province of Manitoba, DO HEREBY proclaim the month of May 2016 as

## **“MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS AWARENESS MONTH”**

in the Town of The Pas.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jim Scott".

*Jim Scott*  
*Mayor*