



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