



Lyme Disease Awareness Month

May 2019

WHEREAS Lyme disease is a serious illness caused by the bite of a black-legged tick infected with the bacterium *Borrelia burgdorferi* and;

WHEREAS black-legged ticks carrying a variety of diseases or illnesses can now be found in all parts of Nova Scotia and;

WHEREAS awareness, education and practicing preventative measures, such as daily tick checks and proper tick removal, can help reduce your chances of contracting tick-borne diseases;

THEREFORE, be it resolved that I, Mayor Nancy Dicks, on behalf of the Town of New Glasgow, do hereby proclaim May 2019 as "Lyme Disease Awareness Month".

Dated at New Glasgow, Nova Scotia this 15th day of April, 2019.



Mayor Nancy Dicks