



TOWN OF NEW GLASGOW RIGHT TO KNOW WEEK

September 28 to October 4, 2020

WHEREAS the Town of New Glasgow has adopted the principles of openness, transparency and accountability; and

WHEREAS *Part XX* of the *Municipal Government Act* gives citizens a right of access to information in the custody or under the control of the Town of New Glasgow; and

WHEREAS access to information ensures citizens of Nova Scotia have the opportunity for meaningful participation in the democratic process; and

WHEREAS a celebration of the right of citizens to access information will facilitate informed public participation in policy formulation, ensure fairness in government decision-making and permit the airing and reconciliation of divergent views; and

WHEREAS the Town of New Glasgow joins all other Canadian jurisdictions and democracies world-wide in acknowledging international Right to Know Week;

THEREFORE be it resolved that I, Mayor Nancy Dicks, do hereby proclaim September 28 to October 4, 2020 to be **Right to Know Week** in the Town of New Glasgow.

Mayor Nancy Dicks