



RIGHT TO KNOW WEEK

September 27 to October 3, 2021

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 27 to October 3, 2021 Right to Know Week in the Town of New Glasgow.
