



## WRONGFUL CONVICTION DAY

OCTOBER 2, 2021

**WHEREAS** Wrongful Conviction Day is designated as an annual International Day to recognize the tremendous personal, social and legal costs associated with wrongful criminal convictions; and

**WHEREAS** this day recognizes those persons who have been forced to endure the tremendous consequences brought by a wrongful criminal conviction; and

**WHEREAS** the purpose of this day is to inform and educate the broader International community on the causes, consequences and complications associated with wrongful criminal convictions; and

**WHEREAS** it is important to raise awareness in order to work towards the prevention of further wrongful convictions;

**THEREFORE** I, Nancy Dicks, Mayor of the Town of New Glasgow do hereby proclaim October 2, 2021 as Wrongful Conviction Day in the Town of New Glasgow.

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Mayor Nancy Dicks