



Disability Pride Month

July 2025

WHEREAS, the Town of New Glasgow recognizes July as **Disability Pride Month**, a time to honour the history, achievements, experiences, and contributions of persons with disabilities; and

WHEREAS, Disability Pride Month serves to challenge stigma, break down barriers, and promote inclusion and accessibility for all individuals, regardless of ability; and

WHEREAS, more than one in five Canadians identify as having a disability, and it is vital that our communities continue to work toward a society where everyone has the opportunity to participate fully, live independently, and thrive with dignity and respect; and

WHEREAS, the Town of New Glasgow is committed to fostering an inclusive, welcoming, and accessible environment where all residents can feel a sense of belonging, and where differences are not just accepted, but celebrated; and

WHEREAS, Disability Pride is not only about visibility, but about celebrating the strength, resilience, and unique contributions of disabled individuals to our community, economy, and culture; and

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT, I, Nancy Dicks, Mayor of the Town of New Glasgow, do hereby proclaim the month of July 2025 as Disability Pride Month in the Town of New Glasgow.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Nancy Dicks'.

Mayor Nancy Dicks