



# THE CITY OF WINDSOR

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR


DREW DILKENS, DBA  
MAYOR

## PROCLAMATION

**“Maple (Re)Leaf Day”  
AUGUST 12, 2021**

- WHEREAS:** Maple (Re)Leaf is a national event in support of mental health foundations and hospitals across Canada. Leafs will be ‘planted’ across Canada and right here in Windsor, allowing for the community to view and participate, in a safe and COVID-19 friendly way. This national campaign is a one-of-a-kind event that allows each of us to support important mental health programs. Other cities across the country are declaring August 12, 2021 Maple (Re)Leaf day to help raise awareness of our communities mental health programs and services; and
- WHEREAS:** The COVID-19 pandemic has highlighted the importance of mental health and addiction, this campaign seeks to assist our community by helping to raise funds for these very programs. The art installation of the maple leafs allows us to visually show the support that our community is offering for those in need of these services; and
- WHEREAS:** Hôtel-Dieu Grace Healthcare (HDGH), Windsor-Essex community-based hospital specializes in the delivery of mental health and addictions services across an individual’s lifespan. From child and youth services through its Regional Children’s Centre to specialized geriatric mental health care, HDGH offers a range of treatment approaches assisting individuals with the unique symptoms and challenges of their illness, while enhancing quality of life and supporting a recovery-oriented philosophy of care; and
- WHEREAS:** The Hôtel-Dieu Grace Healthcare Foundation is a participating foundation in the Maple (Re)Leaf Campaign in partnership with other Foundations across our great nation, will mark August 12, 2021 as Maple (Re)Leaf day in support of Mental Health programs and services at Hôtel-Dieu Grace Healthcare.
- THEREFORE:** I, Drew Dilkens, Mayor of the City of Windsor, do hereby proclaim

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**“Maple (RE)Leaf Day”**  
in the City of Windsor.

  
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Mayor