



PROCLAMATION

National Epilepsy Awareness Day

March 26, 2024

Whereas Epilepsy South Eastern Ontario is promoting National Epilepsy Awareness Day; and

Whereas Epilepsy South Eastern Ontario is a registered charity, providing support services for people with epilepsy and their families, and community education services to reduce the stigma associated with the disorder; and

Whereas epilepsy is a chronic neurological disorder with no cure, which is frequently seriously disabling; and

Whereas epilepsy profoundly affects the quality of life for over 4,500 individuals and family members in our community and surrounding rural areas; and

Whereas Kingston citizens are encouraged to make an effort this month to learn more about epilepsy, fight stigma and wear a lavender ribbon to show support.

Therefore, I, Mayor Bryan Paterson, on behalf of Kingston City Council, hereby proclaim March 26, 2024 to be "National Epilepsy Awareness Day" in the City of Kingston.

Dated at Kingston this 6th day of December, 2023.

Bryan Paterson
Mayor