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THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF BARRIE Mayor's Office

## PROCLAMATION

I, JEFF LEHMAN, Mayor of the City of BARRIE,

do hereby proclaim the month of

**April 2020** 

as

## **Daffodil Month**

WHEREAS:

The Canadian Cancer Society (CCS) is proud to be a champion and voice for Canadians who care about cancer. We are committed to supporting and engaging people in communities across the country. We are a collective of people united by the same goals. At CCS, we couldn't do what we do without all our committed supporters and partner organizations. Many of us have been directly affected by cancer and share a strong bond with others who experience the pain of this disease and through our Daffodil Campaign, we raise funds to help people with cancer live their lives more fully. We support work aimed at improving the experiences, enhancing and prolonging the lives of those affected by cancer; and

WHEREAS:

The daffodil is resilient. It survives our harsh Canadian winters and is the first flower to bloom in the spring, a time of renewal and hope. For those living with cancer, the daffodil is a symbol of strength. courage and life. Together, Canadians rally around this symbol every year in support of groundbreaking research and support programs that make life better for those affected by cancer; and

WHEREAS:

Fundraising activities related to this campaign vary across the country and can include daffodil pin sales, direct mail, door-to-door donation canvassing or special events. Donors and supporters can proudly wear a Daffodil pin or display their fresh flowers to show their support for our cause. When the ones you love are diagnosed with or die from cancer, friends and family often want to do something to help or honour them. Fundraising enables change and we can all have a part in advancing the cancer cause through our generosity. At the CCS, we want you to know that our Daffodil Campaign is a special opportunity to make a difference.

THEREFORE, I, Jeff Lehman, Mayor of the City of Barrie, do hereby proclaim the month of April 2020 as "Daffodil Month."



Jeff Lehman Mayor