



PROCLAMATION

LYME DISEASE AWARENESS MONTH May 2026

WHEREAS Lyme disease is a serious illness caused by the bite of a blacklegged tick infected with the bacterium *Borrelia burgdorferi*; and


WHEREAS blacklegged ticks carrying a variety of diseases or illnesses can now be found in all parts of Nova Scotia; and

WHEREAS awareness, education and practicing preventative measures, such as daily tick checks and proper tick removal, can help reduce your chances of contracting tick borne diseases;

THEREFORE, be it resolved that I, Mayor Gregory Henley, on behalf of the Town of Oxford, do hereby proclaim May 2026 as "Lyme Disease Awareness Month".

Dated at Oxford, Nova Scotia

this 1st day of May 2026



Mayor Gregory Henley
Town of Oxford