

September 23, 2015

Brenda Sharp
Niagara Chapter Support Group Leader
Trigeminal Neuralgia Association
Niagara Region
Bsharp2@cogeco.ca

Dear Ms. Sharp,

Proclamation: 2015 Trigeminal Neuralgia Awareness Day

At their regular meeting of September 21st, 2015, Council of the Town of Pelham received your correspondence and endorsed the following:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council receives the Issue Summary Report from Brenda Sharp, Trigeminal Neuralgia Association, Niagara Chapter Support Group Leader; and

WHEREAS trigeminal neuralgia is a disorder of the fifth cranial nerve that is often called the world's worst pain; and

WHEREAS trigeminal neuralgia causes sharp, stabbing, electric-like face pain, and it is not unusual for sufferers to end their lives trying to escape the agonizing pain; and

WHEREAS the episodes of pain can strike anytime, anywhere, and last for extended periods leaving the person helpless and incapacitated; and

WHEREAS October 7, 2015 marks the third annual International Trigeminal Neuralgia Awareness Day which will see landmarks around the world, including Canada's Niagara Falls, CN Tower and BC Place, lighting up teal for the evening in support of this awareness;

THEREFORE, I, Dave Augustyn, Mayor of Town of Pelham hereby proclaim October 7, 2015 to be Trigeminal Neuralgia Awareness Day in Pelham with the lighting of the Arches to support the fighters, admire the survivors, honour the taken, and never give up hope for a cure.

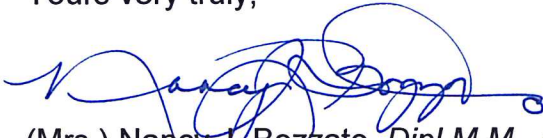
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On behalf of Council, thank you for your request and we feel honoured to be a participant in support of this awareness.

Yours very truly,



(Mrs.) Nancy J. Bozzato, *Dipl.M.M., AMCT*
Town Clerk

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DATED AT the Town of Pelham this 21st day of September, 2015.

**MAYOR DAVE AUGUSTYN
TOWN OF PELHAM**

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Dave Augustyn".