



# P R O C L A M A T I O N

## Trigeminal Neuralgia Awareness Day October 7, 2017

Whereas Trigeminal Neuralgia is a debilitating disorder that causes episodes of intense, stabbing, electric-shock like pain, usually on one side of the face; and

Whereas Trigeminal Neuralgia is considered to be one of the most painful conditions you can experience; and

Whereas Trigeminal Neuralgia pain can be triggered by simple everyday activities such as touching of the face, teeth brushing, or eating, and can last for an extended period of time; and

Whereas on October 7<sup>th</sup>, 2017, various landmarks such as Niagara Falls Skylon Tower, Peace Bridge, London Ontario City Hall, London Convention Centre and Canada Place Vancouver are some of the places lighting Teal in support of this day (see [www.tnnme.com](http://www.tnnme.com)); and

Whereas TNNME hopes to bring awareness to others to help them know they are not alone and to have World Health Organization recognize Trigeminal Neuralgia one of the worst pains known to mankind;

Now Therefore, I, David S. Canfield, Mayor for the City of Kenora, do hereby proclaim October 7, 2017 as Trigeminal Neuralgia Awareness Day in and for the City of Kenora in and hope for better education and funding for this painful disease.

Proclaimed at the City of Kenora this 12th day of September, 2017

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**Mayor David S. Canfield**