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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

## September 2016

as

## **Prostate Cancer Awareness Month**

WHEREAS: Prostate cancer is the most common cancer to affect Canadian men; and

WHEREAS; 1 in 8 Canadian men will be diagnosed with the disease in his lifetime; and

WHEREAS; An estimated 24,000 Canadian men will be diagnosed with prostate cancer this year; and

WHEREAS; When detected early, the survival rate for prostate cancer can be over 90%; and

WHEREAS: Those with a family history of the disease or those of African or Caribbean descent, are at a

greater risk of developing prostate cancer; and

WHEREAS; Prostate Cancer Canada recommends that men get a Prostate Specific Antigen (PSA) test in

their 40s to establish a baseline for future testing.

THEREFORE, I, Jeff Lehman, Mayor of the City of Barrie, do hereby proclaim the month of September 2016

to be "Prostate Cancer Awareness Month."



Jeff Lehman Mayor