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# PROCLAMATION

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

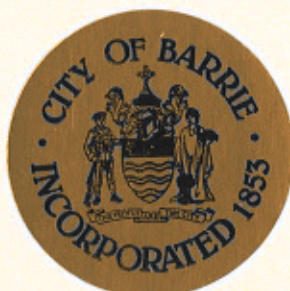
do hereby proclaim

**April 2021**

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## Parkinson's Awareness Month

- WHEREAS;** Parkinson Canada works to educate the public during the month of April; and
- WHEREAS;** More than 25 people are diagnosed with Parkinson's every day; and
- WHEREAS;** Between 2011 and 2031, the number of Canadians diagnosed is expected to double to more than 163,700; and
- WHEREAS;** The majority of those diagnosed are over the age of 65. However, there are also "young onset" diagnosed under the age of 40; and
- WHEREAS;** Parkinson Canada guides the way for Canadians to live well with the disease through research, advocacy and support. The Parkinson's SuperWalk launches in May and this fundraiser held in September enables Parkinson Canada to deliver community services and fund research for treatment and, one day, a cure!
- THEREFORE,** I, Jeff Lehman, Mayor of the City of Barrie, do hereby proclaim the month of **April 2021** to be "**Parkinson's Awareness Month**" in the City of Barrie.



  
Jeff Lehman,  
Mayor