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PROCLAMATION

"THE HOPE CENTRE DAY"

September 26, 2024

- WHEREAS, The Hope Centre has been a pillar of support for the Welland community, tirelessly working to alleviate housing insecurity, food insecurity, and providing mental health and other vital supports to vulnerable populations since its establishment in 1974; and
- WHEREAS, The Hope Centre has demonstrated unwavering commitment and dedication to improving the quality of life for individuals and families in need, thereby strengthening the social fabric of our community; and
- WHEREAS, The year 2024 marks the 50th anniversary of The Hope Centre, an occasion worthy of celebration and recognition by the City of Welland; and
- WHEREAS, Declaring a day in honour of The Hope Centre's 50 years of service will raise awareness of the crucial work being done and encourage continued support and engagement for the community and local partners.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, FRANK CAMPION, Mayor of the City of Welland

do hereby proclaim September 26, 2024 as

"THE HOPE CENTRE DAY" in the City of Welland.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the City of Welland extends its heartfelt gratitude and congratulations to The Hope Centre for 50 years of exemplary service and dedication to our community.

Dated on this 13th day of September 2024.

Frank Campion MAYOR

