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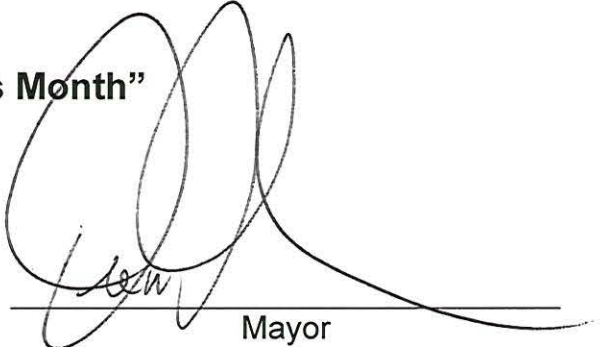
DREW DILKENS, DBA
MAYOR

PROCLAMATION

“Ovarian Cancer Awareness Month” September 2024

- WHEREAS:** Everyone born with ovaries has some risk for ovarian cancer. Some people have higher risk than others based on a number of factors; and,
- WHEREAS:** This disease impacts 1 in 75 Canadian females, and some are at greater risk than others due to age, ethnicity, family history of certain cancers, reproductive history, and the presence of specific genetic mutations; and,
- WHEREAS:** Ovarian cancer is notoriously difficult to detect. There is no effective screening test for this disease. You know best what’s normal for you and your body; and,
- WHEREAS:** Ovarian cancer is the 8th most common cancer of women in the world; and,
- WHEREAS:** 324,000 women are diagnosed with ovarian cancer a year; and,
- WHEREAS:** If nothing is done to change the status quo right now, by 2050 8 million lives will be lost to ovarian cancer; and
- THEREFORE:** I, Drew Dilken, Mayor of the City of Windsor, do hereby proclaim

September 2024
“Ovarian Cancer Awareness Month”
in the City of Windsor.



Mayor