

Proclamation

Restorative Justice Week

November 15th – 22nd, 2020



**Relationships First:
Restorative Justice in
Education Consortium,
NL**

Whereas, in the face of crime or conflict, restorative justice offers a philosophy and approach that views these matters principally as harm done to people and relationships; and

Whereas, Relationships First: Restorative Justice in Education Consortium, NL promotes restorative justice which is a non-adversarial, non-retributive approach to justice that emphasizes healing in victims, accountability of offenders, and the involvement of citizens in creating healthier, safer communities; and

Whereas, National Restorative Justice week, is an opportunity to learn about restorative justice, educate and celebrate along with other communities across the country and globally, during the week.

Therefore, I, Mayor Danny Breen, do hereby proclaim November 15th- 22nd. 2020, as Restorative Justice Week in the City of St. John's.

Signed at City Hall, St. John's, NL on this 9th day of November, 2020.

Danny Breen, Mayor