PROCLAMATION

Childhood Cancer Awareness Month

WHEREAS: Cancer is the leading cause of disease-related death among Canadian children, and 1 in 5 will not survive beyond five years after diagnosis. Each year, approximately 1,500 children and youth in Canada are diagnosed, making it a cause deeply affecting families across the country.

Childhood Cancer Canada is dedicated to supporting children and their families throughout every stage of the cancer journey. Through programs such as the Emergency Fund, Empower Packs, Survivorship Scholarships, the Benevolent Fund, and more, the organization provides essential resources, financial assistance, and hope.

Childhood Cancer Awareness Month is a time to shine a light on the challenges faced by childhood cancer families and to remind us all that these brave children need our compassion, advocacy, and support now more than ever.

THEREFORE: I, Mayor Patrick Brown, on behalf of Brampton City Council, do hereby proclaim September 2025 as “Childhood Cancer Awareness Month” in the City of Brampton.

Mayor Patrick Brown, City of Brampton