



Whereas over 800 children under the age of 15 are diagnosed with cancer each year in Canada; and

Whereas childhood cancer is the #1 cause of death by disease of Canadian children; and

Whereas childhood cancer places a tremendous financial burden on families; and

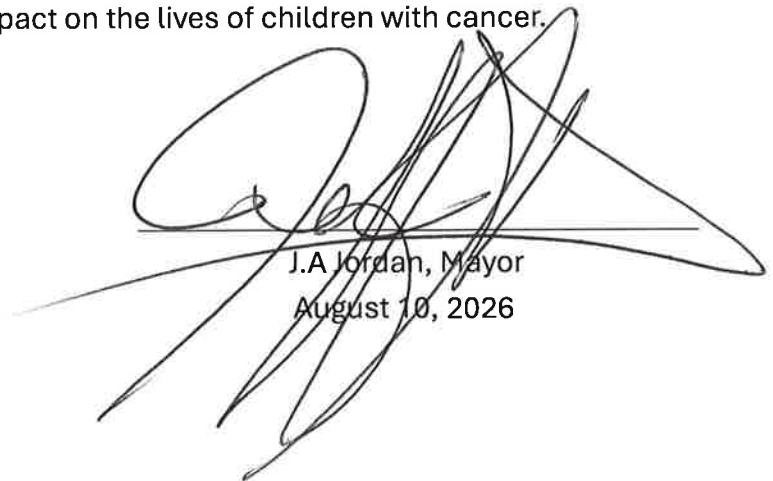
Whereas over 75 per cent of childhood cancer survivors live with at least one chronic health condition and a third of these are severe or life-threatening; and

Whereas little is known about what causes childhood cancer which limits the opportunities for prevention; and

Whereas additional awareness and funding for Childhood cancer is needed as only 5 cents for every research dollar goes toward childhood cancer research; and

Whereas annually, September is officially recognized as Childhood Cancer Awareness Month by the Province of Ontario.

Therefore be it resolved that I, Mayor Jeff Jordan, do hereby proclaim September 2026 as Childhood Cancer Awareness Month in Grimsby, and encourage all citizens to learn more about how they can make a positive impact on the lives of children with cancer.



J.A. Jordan, Mayor
August 10, 2026