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## PROCLAMATION

### National Physicians' Day

**May 1st**

**WHEREAS**, the Canadian Medical Association has officially declared May 1st as National Physicians' Day, to recognize the Canadian medical profession; and

**WHEREAS**, May 1st was chosen to honour the birthday of the first woman to practice medicine in Canada, and a founder of Canada's women's movement, Dr. Emily Stowe; and

**WHEREAS**, National Physicians' Day, is a time to reflect on the work and sacrifices made by physicians, and to express our appreciation for the care they provide in normal and in extraordinary times,

**THEREFORE, I**, Steve Ferguson Mayor of the Corporation of the County of Prince Edward do hereby recognize May 1st National Physicians' Day. Prince Edward County extends a thank you to all physicians for their unwavering commitment to care - their professionalism, perseverance and the attention they provide to countless patients during demanding times.

**Dated** at Picton this 21st day of April 2026  
Mayor Steve Ferguson