



APPLICATION FOR PROCLAMATION

(Please complete and submit your completed form to the Town Clerk @ clerks@richmondhill.ca at least three weeks in advance of the occasion)

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ORGANIZATION NAME: _____ The Canadian PSW Network _____

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PROCLAMATION REQUESTED (Name or title of proclamation):

_____ Personal Support Worker (PSW) Day _____

DATES OF PROCLAMATION (Please check and insert dates)

X Day(s) __ May 19th, 2021 _____ ☐ Week _____

☐ Month _____

PURPOSE OF PROCLAMATION (Please check all that apply):

☐ Civic Promotions X Public Awareness Campaign ☐ Charitable Fundraising Campaign

☐ Arts and Cultural Celebration ☐ Special Honor for individual or Organization ☐

Other (please explain) _____

DESCRIPTION OF YOUR ORGANIZATION (Please include a brief description and any other relevant information related to your request. Additional information/documentation may be attached to this application):

_____ Our organization is a not-for-profit in our 3rd year, that provides support, resources and advocacy for PSWs. We believe that PSWs deserve to have respect and recognition for all that they do, giving selflessly every day, with so little in return. Our Goal is to build up them, and the industry, every day in a positive and professional manner. _____

Has the same or a similar proclamation been requested of the Richmond Hill Council in past years?

☐ Yes (insert date of previous request) _____

X No (new request)

You must provide the draft wording for your proclamation in order to receive an official signed proclamation from the Mayor.

The personal information on this form is collected under the authority of the Municipal Act. The information is used for the purpose of processing the application for proclamation. Questions about this collection of information can be made to the Town Clerk (905) 771-8800.

SIGNATURE:  _____ **DATE:** _____ January 15th, 2021 _____

PLEASE RETURN OUR COMPLETED APPLICATION FORM TO:
Office of the Clerk

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THE CANADIAN PSW NETWORK

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Suggested Proclamation Script

Personal Support Worker (PSW) Day

May 19th, 2021

Whereas today, we recognize all of the Personal Support Workers (PSWs) who are the frontline of our healthcare system.

PSWs have selflessly and tirelessly provided care to our community's most vulnerable through an extraordinarily challenging year, a year made more precarious by a Pandemic the likes of which many of us have never seen. Through all of this they have been, and continue to remain, steadfast and true.

They have given so much of themselves every day, sacrificing their own health, safety, time with their families, even their own lives to ensure the safety and care of our seniors and vulnerable.

PSWs ensure that people in long term care facilities, or in their homes are safe and cared for. They make every effort to provide the best possible care to them, and do it with a sense of compassion and empathy that is the badge of honour of every PSW.

Now, more than ever we are thankful to our PSWs along with all health care workers on the frontlines caring for those who are affected by COVID-19.

PSWs truly deserve our recognition and respect for everything they have done through this Pandemic and through the working conditions they face every day, especially in the Long-term Care setting.

PSW Day is an opportunity to celebrate their contributions to our community, and to our loved ones.

Thank you to all the PSWs and frontline health care workers to continue to provide this essential and vital work that directly impacts the lives of so many everyday.