

March 13, 2017

Moved by Councillor B. Butters Seconded by Councillor Y. Doucet

WHEREAS Raising and increasing the AWARENESS of *Human Values* of truth, right conduct, peace, love and non-violence, and all the multiple sub values like honesty, integrity, kindness and caring in the City of Port Colborne is a primary goal of this wonderful city;

AND WHEREAS these values are inherent in all creeds, countries, cultures and communities, making these values truly "Values without Borders";

**AND WHEREAS** making the City of Port Colborne "A City of Character" is the greatest benefit of all our citizens;

AND WHEREAS reducing and even erasing the incidents of violence of all types in our communities and our City will bring PEACE and PROGRESS in all aspects and activities of this province;

AND WHEREAS unlike other walks, Walk for Values is not a fund-raiser, but a way to make the City richer and healthier by pledging our commitment to practice human values, and be motivated to serve our community through volunteer work, or by donating blood or food for the needy;

AND WHEREAS "Walk for Values" is designed to raise the awareness of Human Values and to promote individual responsibility towards collective future of Humanity. Walk for Values is a platform to educate people on the importance of practicing these five Human Values in daily life and the awareness it creates in making enlightened citizens for universal peace.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Mayor, John Maloney, proclaim April 24th, 2017 as "Human Values Day" in the City of Port Colborne.

John Maloney Mayor

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