



# PROCLAMATION

**The Corporation of the Town of Niagara-on-the-Lake  
Proclaims the Day of December 3, 2024**

## “NIAGARAGIVES GIVINGTUESDAY”

**WHEREAS** GivingTuesday is an annual celebration of generosity and volunteerism which is celebrated and recognized in over 180+ countries across the globe, and;

**WHEREAS** GivingTuesday falls immediately after Black Friday/Cyber Monday weekend and asks people to give back to the less fortunate after having spent on luxuries during the years' hottest sales, and;

**WHEREAS** Since 2012, GivingTuesday has raised billions of dollars for charities and nonprofits across Canada, the United States, and the around the world, and;

**WHEREAS** Since forming in 2021, NiagaraGives and GivingTuesday has inspired more than \$300,000 in charitable donations to local Niagara organizations, and;

**WHEREAS** GivingTuesday brings together businesses, charities, families, and entire communities to tackle real issues and create a better world for all, and;

**WHEREAS** The Town of Niagara-on-the-Lake recognizes and celebrates the generous contributions of individuals and organizations and recognizes the increasing need for their services.

**THEREFORE** Be it resolved that I, Lord Mayor Gary Zalepa, do hereby declare December 3, 2024, as GivingTuesday in The Town of Niagara-on-the-Lake.

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**Lord Mayor Gary Zalepa**