



**THE COUNCIL OF THE CORPORATION OF THE
TOWN OF NEW TECUMSETH DOES HEREBY
PROCLAIM**

May 14, 2022

Apraxia Awareness Day

IN THE TOWN OF NEW TECUMSETH

WHEREAS; Childhood apraxia of speech is a challenging speech disorder that affects nearly 1-in-1,000 children; and

WHEREAS; Children with childhood apraxia of speech will not learn to speak without frequent, intensive and appropriate speech therapy; and

WHEREAS; A lack of appropriate speech therapy intervention may impact not only communication but also individual outcomes in education, independence, mental wellness, and employment; and

WHEREAS; Public awareness about childhood apraxia of speech is essential for families of children with childhood apraxia of speech and the professionals who support them to best advocate for needed services for children learning to use their own voice; and

WHEREAS; Our highest respect goes to children with childhood apraxia of speech and to their families for their effort, determination and resilience in the face of obstacles.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED; that May 14, 2022, be designated “Apraxia Awareness Day” to raise awareness in the Town of New Tecumseth.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and
caused the seal of the Corporation to be affixed this
14th day of May 2022.**

Mayor 
Rick Milne