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Dear Mayor Tony Van Bynen,

As Executive Director of Epilepsy York Region, a non-profit organization that provides support, education and advocacy to affected individuals and their families in York Region, I am emailing you regarding recognition of March Awareness and Purple Day in support of epilepsy.

Purple Day is a national effort celebrated on March 26th which is dedicated to increasing awareness about epilepsy worldwide. The campaign is held during the entire month of March and especially on March 26th, inviting people around the world to wear purple and host events in support of epilepsy. Purple Day dispels the myths about epilepsy and helps people living with the disorder to understand that they are not alone.

We would appreciate if the Town of Newmarket would proclaim March as Epilepsy Awareness Month, and March 26th as Purple Day and issue a proclamation to that effect.

Yours truly,



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