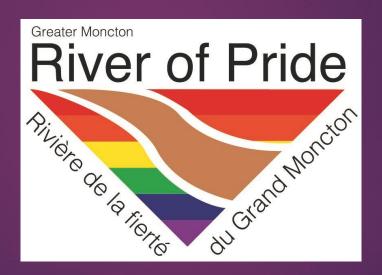
RIVER OF PRIDE RIVIÈRE DE LA FIERTÉ



PRESENTATION TO THE TOWN OF RIVERVIEW MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

JANURARY 23, 2017

ABOUT US: RIVER OF PRIDE

- ► The LGBTQ+ Pride society for Southeastern New Brunswick
- Education, advocacy and event management in EN and FR
- Pride events since 2000, incorporated organization as of 2009
- An undeniable partner
- Completely volunteer-run









GREATER MONCTON PRIDE WEEK 2016

- ► The largest Pride Week in our history
- About 25 public events
 - Sports and physical activity
 - Arts and culture
 - ► Families and youth
 - Night life
 - Education and advocacy
- More than 4500 participants
- Many businesses taking part
- Creating and reinforcing safe spaces the region









2017 PRIDE WEEK & THE TOWN OF RIVERVIEW

- From August 19 to 26, 2017 (défilé: 26 août)
- ► How the Town can support 2017 Pride Week
 - Accept our proposal for an Event Sponsorship
 - Offer Town-owned spaces in kind for potential events
 - ► Collaborate in order to inaugurate a rainbow sidewalk
- Possibility of Pride presence in Riverview
 - Youth Night at Unplugged Riverview
 - Story Time at the Riverview Public Library
 - ▶ Pride Bike Ride along the Petitcodiac River
 - A renewed campaign to encourage businesses to decorate

► How the Town can participate

- Participate in our Pride Parade
- Join us at our Flag Raising and other events
- Interact with us on social media





WHAT MUNICIPALITIES MUST DO TO BECOME BETTER ALLIES

- Make changes to municipal forms in order to include people of non-binary genders
- ► Follow the Ally Initiative Training offered by AIDS Moncton
- Prioritize the addition or designation of non-gendered washrooms in municipal buildings and on municipal grounds
- Refuse to support groups that exclude the LGBTQ+ community
- Become engaged with LGBTQ+ groups
 - Invite them to the discussion table
 - ▶ Listen attentively to their needs and requests
 - Offer support (financial, in kind, human resources)





