



Moved by Councillor Seconded by Councillor

WHEREAS throughout our community, museums, art galleries, and heritage sites reflect our local history and culture and contribute to our development; and

WHEREAS this month provides an opportunity to increase awareness of our community's museums and celebrate the contributions these institutions make to quality of life, education, and economic development; and

WHEREAS museums, galleries, and heritage sites welcome visitors and tourists to our community; and

WHEREAS these museums, galleries and heritage sites are valuable resources for education and learning, and are important community hubs;

NOW THEREFORE, I, Mayor William C. Steele, do hereby proclaim May 1 – 31, 2021 as "**Museum Month**" in the City of Port Colborne, and encourage all residents and tourists to join the local museum this May.

William C. Steele Mayor