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Dear Partners and Friends:

YOU ARE INVITED TO TAKE PART IN A PROVINCE WIDE CAMPAIGN TO PROMOTE AWARENESS ON DISABILITY ISSUES!

For more than a decade, Partnership for Access Awareness Nova Scotia (PAANS) has celebrated and recognized the achievements made both by and for people with disabilities.

PAANS is seeking organizations interested in hosting events in their own communities during **Access Awareness Week 2018 May 27th to June 2nd**.

Nova Scotia is in its first year with Accessibility Legislation - a milestone so many worked so hard to achieve and we want to truly celebrate this achievement so the theme this year is ***Community Access***.

We are here to help you organize and celebrate! Past Access Awareness events have been diverse and unique. From barbeques to a book launch, we welcome your creativity! To enable you to host a successful event PAANS will:

- Offer funding, up to a maximum of \$100.00 to partners with limited resources.
- Provide Toolkits that provide tips on making your event accessible.
- Provide networking opportunities with other organizations of similar interest.
- Enable you to educate your community on local disability issues.
- Be a resource for your organization to build upon for years to come.

When we work together we make a difference that benefits the whole community!

Sincerely,

Sherry Costa
Provincial Coordinator