

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS	Canada's forests are a valuable, renewable resource that contribute to our economy and the livelihoods of our communities.
WHEREAS	Canada's forests play a crucial role in maintaining healthy ecosystems, clean air and water and wildlife habitat whilst being an important aspect of climate change mitigation efforts.
WHEREAS	The City of Red Deer and its citizens rely on the surrounding forests for livelihood, health, and recreation.
WHEREAS	This annual one-week campaign with the theme of "Canada's Forests: Solutions for a Changing Climate" will be celebrated across Canada by individuals and organizations.
WHEREAS	Canada's forests are a valuable, renewable resource that contribute greatly to the livelihoods, health and culture of our communities as well as the maintenance of our ecosystems, their wildlife and resilience in the face of climate change.

NOW THEREFORE I, Ken Johnston, hereby proclaim September 18–24, 2022 as: "NATIONAL FOREST WEEK" in the City of Red Deer.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Official Seal of the City of Red Deer, Alberta, to be affixed.

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Mayor Ken Johnston City of Red Deer

