

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS: Public Works professionals focus on infrastructure, facilities and services that are

of vital importance to sustainable and resilient communities to the public health, high quality of life and well being of the people of Red Deer, Alberta, AND

WHEREAS: These infrastructure, facilities, and services could not be provided without the

dedicated efforts of public works professionals, who are engineers, managers, and employees at all levels of government and the private sector, who are responsible for rebuilding, improving and protecting our nation's transportation, water supply, water treatment and solid waste systems, public buildings and other structures

and facilities essential for our citizens, AND

WHEREAS: It is in public interest for the citizens, civic leaders and children in Red Deer,

Alberta to gain knowledge of and to maintain an ongoing interest and

understanding of the importance of public works and public works programs in

their respective communities, AND

WHEREAS: The year 2023 marks the 63rd annual National Public Works Week sponsored by

the American Public Works Association.

NOW THEREFORE.

I, Ken Johnston, Mayor of the City of Red Deer, hereby recognize May 21-27, 2023 as National Public Works Week. I urge all citizens to join with representatives of the Canadian Public Works Association and government agencies in activities, events and ceremonies designed to pay tribute to our public works professionals and to recognize the substantial contributions they make to protecting our national health, safety and quality of life.

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

Mayor Ken Johnston City of Red Deer

