

PROCLAMATION

- **WHEREAS** The City of Red Deer is the home of people who menstruate, many of whom have difficulty accessing the products they need.
- **WHEREAS** Period poverty is a widespread issue that has a serious impact on people's ability to access work and make a living in Canada.
- **WHEREAS** When people don't have access to menstrual products, they are more likely to stay home, miss school or work or other community events.
- WHEREAS In 2022, menstruation is still shrouded in silence, taboos and stigma...
- **WHEREAS** We are committed to create a world where no one is held back because they menstruate, to ending period stigma, and making menstruation a normal fact of life.

NOW THEREFORE

I, Ken Johnston, Mayor of the City of Red Deer, hereby declares May 28 Menstrual Hygiene Day in Red Deer.

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

Ken Johnston

Mayor

