

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS: The Society of Alberta Occupational Therapists, national, provincial and

territorial occupational therapy associations annually designate the month

of October as Occupational Therapy Month, and

WHEREAS: Occupational therapy is a regulated health profession dedicated to the

health and wellbeing of Albertans of all ages and abilities, and

WHEREAS: Occupational therapy services support clients to overcome obstacles that

prevent involvement in activities that have a positive impact on their lives,

and

WHEREAS: Albertans depend on access to occupational therapy services through home

services, community agencies, hospitals, long-term care facilities, rehabilitation clinics, schools, mental health centers, industry and

government agencies and private practices, and

WHEREAS: We celebrate the profession and the positive impact that occupational

therapists play in the lives of Albertans of all ages.

NOW THEREFORE.

I, Ken Johnston, Mayor of the City of Red Deer, hereby proclaim that October 2023 shall be known as "Occupational Therapy Month" in the City of Red Deer.

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