



REGIONAL MUNICIPALITY
OF **WOOD BUFFALO**

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR


PROCLAMATION

- WHEREAS** Big Brothers Big Sisters of Wood Buffalo enables life-changing mentoring relationships that ignite the power and potential of children and young people in our community; and
- WHEREAS** investing in young people's potential creates a social return on investment of 23-to-1 through improved economic, health, and social outcomes for mentored young people; and
- WHEREAS** by changing the course of young lives through mentorship as an important intervention, we positively shape our community's social and economic future; and
- WHEREAS** Big Brothers Big Sisters of Wood Buffalo creates meaningful volunteer opportunities for community members to pair with young people and guide and support them to achieve a great future; and
- WHEREAS** the agency's goal is to recruit more volunteers committed to the diverse and cultural needs of young people in our community.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Sandy Bowman, Mayor of the Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo, do hereby proclaim **September 20, 2025**, as:

BIG BROTHERS BIG SISTERS DAY

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunder set my hand and caused to be affixed the seal of the Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo in Fort McMurray, Alberta, this 20th day of September 2025.


Sandy Bowman
Mayor

