



REGIONAL MUNICIPALITY
OF **WOOD BUFFALO**

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

PROCLAMATION

- WHEREAS** the Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo is committed to fostering civic pride, environmental responsibility, beautification, and sustainable development; and
- WHEREAS** parks, green spaces, gardens, playgrounds, forests, rivers, and trails in the region help provide opportunities to enjoy nature, and to maintain clean air and water while preserving plant and animal wildlife; and
- WHEREAS** participation in Communities in Bloom strengthens volunteer and community development, enhances social interaction, and creates civic engagement; and
- WHEREAS** Communities in Bloom is deeply appreciative of the countless volunteers and individuals that support beautification activities and programs; and
- WHEREAS** Communities in Bloom hosts this year's Community Gardening Day at Doug Barnes Cabin on May 24, 2025, to celebrate growing season in the region and to launch lettuce as the 2025 Seed of the Year.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Sandy Bowman, Mayor of the Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo, do hereby proclaim **May 24, 2025**, as:

COMMUNITIES IN BLOOM 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 thirteenth day of May 2025.

Sandy Bowman
Mayor