



REGIONAL MUNICIPALITY
OF WOOD BUFFALO

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

PROCLAMATION

- WHEREAS** Victims and Survivors of Crime Week is recognized in Canada every May, with this year representing its 21st anniversary; and
- WHEREAS** When a crime happens, it impacts more than one person, including affected family and community members; and
- WHEREAS** Victims and survivors of crime, their families and loved ones deserve support from their community and to have a strong voice in the criminal justice system; and
- WHEREAS** Many victim service providers, law enforcement agencies, and people working in the criminal justice system assist victims and survivors of crime and their families; and
- WHEREAS** Victims and Survivors of Crime Week, and this year's theme, Empowering Resilience, will help promote greater understanding of victim issues.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Sandy Bowman, Mayor of the Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo, do hereby proclaim **May 10-16, 2026**, as:

VICTIMS AND SURVIVORS OF CRIME WEEK

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 28th day of April 2026.

Sandy Bowman
Mayor

