

PROCLAMATION

Family Violence Prevention Month

November 2023

WHEREAS: there are many people in Alberta who experience family violence and bullying. The effects of family violence may be carried on from generation to generation; and

WHEREAS: the existence of family violence and bullying in our community affects our safety, security, health, and dignity. It affects our individual and collective ability to live free of fear; and

WHEREAS: all Albertans have a role to play in preventing family violence. By creating awareness through providing information, resources, assistance and speaking out; and

THEREFORE: I, Mayor Simon Boersma do hereby declare the month of November 2023 to be Family Violence Prevention Month in the Town of Morinville.

I call upon citizens to help those at risk learn where to turn. I call upon you to make a difference by helping those affected by family violence know what supports and resources are available to them. I also encourage all residents to place a lit candle in their window on November 30 to signify community solidarity toward ending family violence.



Mayor Simon Boersma

