

Proclamation

National Volunteer Week

April 7-13, 2019

Volunteers are the roots of strong communities

- WHEREAS: 13.3 million Canadian volunteers give their time to help others, contributing 2.1 billion volunteer hours per year; and
- WHEREAS: volunteers in Morinville mentor our children, feed our hungry, comfort our lonely, beautify our green spaces, and fundraise for our charitable organizations; and
- WHEREAS: Morinville's volunteers are young, old, families, workers, retirees, men and women of all ages and background; and
- WHEREAS: as we recognize the collective efforts of town volunteers, we reflect on the multitude of actions taken locally to help people, neighborhoods and communities become better prepared to respond to the unexpected, and better positioned for a more sustainable future. This year, the theme is 'The Volunteer Factor– Lifting Communities'.
- THEREFORE: I, Barry Turner, Mayor of Morinville, do hereby proclaim April 7-13, 2019, as National Volunteer Week, and urge my fellow citizens to recognize volunteers and the power of the 'Volunteer Factor' within our community.



Mayor Barry Turner

