



Proclamation

Indigenous Land Acknowledgment Day & National Indigenous Peoples Day

WHEREAS, the City of Leduc, located in the heart of Central Alberta, both acknowledges and pays tribute to the traditional territories of the peoples of Treaty 6, which includes 16 Alberta First Nations, as well as the peoples of Region 4 of the Métis Nation of Alberta, who have called this area home since time immemorial; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Leduc acknowledges that we are all subject to the treaties and respect them as relevant promises binding on all Canadians and Indigenous peoples, and permanently flies the Treaty 6 and Métis Nation flags as an act of reconciliation that honours the complexity of the municipal claim on this land; and,

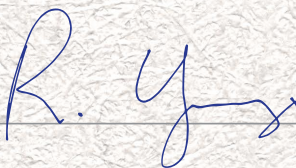
WHEREAS, the City of Leduc recognizes the interconnectedness of the past, present and future as foundational to the success, prosperity and sustainability of our city and region; and,

WHEREAS, Indigenous peoples have made, and continue to make, invaluable contributions to Leduc, to Alberta, to Canada and around the world; we, in turn, celebrate these contributions, respecting and supporting diversity and inclusiveness as a core value in our community; and,

WHEREAS, in cooperation with Indigenous organizations, the Government of Canada declared June 21, the summer solstice, of each year as the day to uniquely mark and celebrate these contributions, nationwide;

THEREFORE, in recognition of the past, present and future contributions and relationships with the peoples of the Treaty 6 First Nations and Region 4 of the Métis Nation of Alberta in our community, our region and our province, I do hereby proclaim the third Monday in June as Indigenous Land Acknowledgment Day in Leduc and June 21 as National Indigenous Peoples Day.





Bob Young | Mayor

