

Proclamation

National Day for Truth and Reconciliation

WHEREAS, the City of Leduc, located on Treaty 6 land, acknowledges and pays tribute to the traditional territories of the peoples recognized in both National Indigenous Peoples Day and Indigenous Land Acknowledgement Day including 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:

WHEREAS, The Truth and Reconciliation Commission report into the history and legacy of Canada's residential school system calls for a National Day to honour survivors, their families and communities, and to ensure that public commemoration of the history and legacy of residential schools remains a vital component of the reconciliation process;

WHEREAS, Leduc City Council recognizes the interconnectedness of the past, present and future as foundational to the success, health and sustainability of our city and region; and supports creating and encouraging awareness in order to build a safer and more inclusive environment for generations of children to come; and,

THEREFORE, on behalf of City Council, Mayor Bob Young hereby recognizes Sept. 30, 2021, as National Day for Truth and Reconciliation in Leduc. Members of the community are also encouraged to wear orange today.



Bob Young | Mayor

