



Municipal District of Bonnyville No. 87

Request for Decision (RFD)

Meeting: Regular Meeting of Council
Meeting Date: April 23, 2024
Originated By: Scott Kovatch, Economic Development Specialist
Title: Economic Development Week Proclamation Request

PROPOSAL & BACKGROUND

Administration is requesting the Reeve to proclaim May 6-10, 2024 as Economic Development Week in the Municipal District of Bonnyville No 87.

DISCUSSION ON BENEFITS, DISADVANTAGES & OPTIONS

Economic Development Week is a celebration that reminds us that entrepreneurs in our community drive innovation, create jobs, generate wealth, and provide a stable tax base. Small businesses help grow our community and improve our standard of living.

Small and medium sized businesses in Canada account for 99% of Canadian companies and employ 90% of private workers.

It is important to recognize and celebrate those individuals who make our community better by generating business opportunities, employing our residents, and strengthening our social fabric by supporting local organizations and causes.

Attached for Council's review:

- Appendix A: Economic Development Week Proclamation May 6-10, 2024

REFERENCE TO STRATEGIC PLAN

Goal 1: Building a Viable and Diversified Regional Economy

REFERENCE TO PROVINCIAL/FEDERAL LEGISLATION

n/a

COSTS & SOURCE OF FUNDING

n/a

COMMUNICATIONS STRATEGY

To be proclaimed and promoted through M.D. website and social media.

ADMINISTRATION RECOMMENDED ACTION

THAT Council approves the proclamation of May 6-10, 2024 as “Economic Development Week” in the Municipal District of Bonnyville.

COUNCIL OPTIONS

1. THAT Council approves the proclamation of May 6-10, 2024 as “Economic Development Week” in the Municipal District of Bonnyville.
2. THAT Council accepts the Economic Development Week Proclamation Request as information.

Report Approval Details

Document Title:	Economic Development Week Proclamation 2024.docx
Attachments:	- Appendix A - Economic Development Week Proclamation 2024.docx
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This report and all of its attachments were approved and signed as outlined below:

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