

Municipal District of Bonnyville No. 87

Request for Decision (RFD)

| Meeting: | Regular Meeting of Council | |
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| Meeting Date: | May 13, 2025 | |
| Originated By: | Bryan Bespalko, General Manager of Infrastructure Services | |
| Title: | 2025 National Public Works Week - Proclamation | |

PROPOSAL & BACKGROUND

The American Public Works Association (APWA) Alberta Chapter has submitted a proclamation request to the M.D. of Bonnyville to acknowledge May 18 – 24, 2025, as "National Public Works Week" within the municipality.

DISCUSSION ON BENEFITS, DISADVANTAGES & OPTIONS

The theme for this year is "*People, Purpose, Presence*" which highlights the way public works professionals connect us physically, through infrastructure, and inspirationally, through service to their communities, whether as first responders, or daily workers carrying out their duties with pride.

Attached for Council's review:

- Appendix A: Draft Proclamation

REFERENCE TO STRATEGIC PLAN

N/A

REFERENCE TO PROVINCIAL/FEDERAL LEGISLATION

N/A

No Cost

COMMUNICATIONS STRATEGY

Communication via the M.D. social media and Council minutes.

ADMINISTRATION RECOMMENDED ACTION

THAT Council approves the proclamation of May 18 – 24, 2025, as "National Public Works Week" with a theme of "People, Purpose, Presence", within the Municipal District of Bonnyville.

COUNCIL OPTIONS

- 1. THAT Council approves the proclamation of May 18 24, 2025, as "National Public Works Week" with a theme of "People, Purpose, Presence" within the Municipal District of Bonnyville.
- 2. THAT Council denies the request to proclaim May 18 24, 2025 as "National Public Works Week".
- THAT Council refers the request to proclaim May 18 24, 2025 as "National Public Works Week" back to Administration for additional information regarding _____ and to bring it back to a future meeting of Council.
- 4. THAT Council accepts the 2025 National Public Works Week Proclamation request as information.

Report Approval Details

| Document Title: | 2025 National Public Works Week - Proclamation .docx |
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| Attachments: | - APPENDIX A.pdf |
| Final Approval Date: | May 1, 2025 |

This report and all of its attachments were approved and signed as outlined below:

Stephanie Severin