

## ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT WEEK

May 8 - May 12, 2023

**Whereas**, communities rely on economic development professionals to promote economic well-being and quality of life; for communities like the Town of Lamont that means coordinating activities that create, retain, and expand jobs in order to facilitate growth, enhance wealth, and provide a stable tax base; and

**Whereas**, economic developers stimulate and incubate entrepreneurship in order to help establish the next generation of new businesses, which is the hallmark of Alberta's economy; and

**Whereas**, economic developers are engaged in a wide variety of settings including rural and urban, local, state, provincial, and federal governments, public-private partnerships, chambers of commerce, universities, and a variety of other institutions; and

**Whereas**, economic developers attract and retain high-quality jobs, develop vibrant communities, and improve the quality of life in their regions; and

**Whereas**, economic developers work in the Town of Lamont within the Province of Alberta.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that Lamont, Alberta recognizes May 8 through May 12, 2023 as Economic Development Week, and reminds individuals of the importance of this community celebration which supports expanding business opportunities and making lives better.

  
Kirk Perrin  
Mayor