



PROCLAMATION

TOWN OF VERMILION

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT WEEK

MAY 8 – 12, 2023

WHEREAS, the International Economic Development Council is the largest professional economic development organization dedicated to serving economic developers; and

WHEREAS, the International Economic Development Council provides leadership and excellence in economic development for communities, members, and partners through conferences, training courses, advisory services and research, in-depth publications, public policy advocacy, and initiatives such as the Accredited Economic Development Organization program, the Certified Economic Developer designation, and the Entrepreneurship Development Professional, and

WHEREAS, economic developers promote economic well-being and quality of life for their communities by creating, retaining, and expanding jobs that 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 the Canadian economy, and

WHEREAS, economic developers are engaged in a wide variety of settings including rural and urban, local, 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 Vermilion within the province of Alberta.

RESOLVED I, Gregory Thronson, Mayor of the Town of Vermilion, do hereby recognize May 8-12, 2023 as Economic Development Week in the Town of Vermilion, and remind individuals of the importance of this community celebration which supports expanding career opportunities and making lives better.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mayor is authorized and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Economic Developers Alberta in support of these provincial celebrations.

Signed the 2nd day of May 2023



Gregory Thronson
Mayor of the Town of Vermilion