

National Indigenous Peoples Day

June 21, 2025

Proclamation

Whereas, June 21 is recognized as National Indigenous Peoples Day, aligning with the summer solstice, a time of cultural and spiritual significance long honoured by Indigenous communities; and

Whereas, this commemorative day celebrates the rich cultures, traditions, and contributions of Indigenous peoples and communities; and

Whereas, it also offers all Canadians an opportunity to reflect on and recognize Indigenous histories, resilience, and continued role in shaping a vibrant society; and

Whereas, Sturgeon County remains committed to fostering respectful relationships and meaningful dialogue, grounded in trust, collaboration, celebration, and shared learning.

Therefore, I, Alanna Hnatiw, Mayor of Sturgeon County, proclaim June 21, 2025, as National Indigenous Peoples Day in Sturgeon County. I encourage all residents to take part in celebrations, including Sturgeon County's event on June 18 at Cardiff Hall, from 4:30 to 8:00 PM, an evening of traditional Indigenous crafts led by local artists and knowledge keepers, along with music and dance performances.



Alanna Hnatiw
Mayor, Sturgeon County