



PROCLAMATION

Economic Development Week (May 11th – 17th, 2025)

WHEREAS economic development is the intentional practice of improving a community's economic well-being and quality of life through a broad-range of activities to attract, create, and retain jobs, and to foster a resilient, pro-growth tax base and an inclusive 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 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 the Town of Sylvan Lake is committed to creating an attractive business environment with a diverse economy that allows businesses to thrive and grow by supporting and attracting new investment that creates high quality jobs and brings new residents to our community;

AND WHEREAS for 50 years, Economic Developers Alberta has been Alberta's leading economic development network, committed to advancing the economic development profession by providing resources, professional development and networking opportunities; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that I, Megan Hanson, Mayor of Sylvan Lake, do proclaim the week of May 11th – 17th, 2025, as Economic Development Week, in the Town of Sylvan Lake.

DONE at the Town of Sylvan Lake, Alberta, this 14th day of April 2025.



Mayor