



## City of Airdrie

### Proclamation for Economic Development Week, May 6-10, 2024

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**Whereas**, communities rely on economic development professionals to promote economic well-being and quality of life; for communities like Airdrie 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 City of Airdrie within the Province of Alberta.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Mayor does hereby recognize May 6 through May 10, 2024 as Economic Development Week in Airdrie, and reminds individuals of the importance of this community celebration which supports expanding business opportunities and making lives better.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Mayor is requested to transmit a copy of this proclamation to Economic Developers Alberta in support of these provincial celebrations.

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Mayor Peter Brown