

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

## Town of Kindersley



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6 May 2019

### **RE: Emergency Preparedness Week in Kindersley, 2019**

Dear Kindersley First Responders,

At the April 22, 2019 Regular Meeting of Council, Resolution 128-19 as attached to this letter and proclaiming Emergency Preparedness Week in Kindersley, was passed unanimously.

On behalf of Council and Administration, I would like to send along a most sincere thank you for your tireless efforts to contribute to a safe, prosperous, and resilient community for all of us who live in and around the Town of Kindersley. First Responders and Crisis Management personnel are those people who have dedicated their lives to public service, and we are grateful for your commitment. They are volunteers and professionals who have honed their skills through countless hours of training and certification.

We all agree that no one wants to hear sirens responding to an emergency, but residents of Kindersley and the surrounding municipalities can at least rest assured that no matter the time of day or the weather, there is a unified team on the way to help those in need. Depending on the situation, that team can include members of the RCMP, Emergency Medical Services (EMS), and the Kindersley Fire Department, all racing to get to events that the rest of us flee from. Each team is made up of courageous and compassionate professionals, who are determined to save lives, battle fires, and protect people, property, and the environment. Crisis Management teams then offer support services to those in need.

The public service of our Kindersley First Responders and Crisis Management teams deserves to be recognized every day but more so during this week recognizing Emergency Preparedness, I am honoured to thank each and every one of you for your bravery, expertise, and passion as you serve to protect us in all ways. Thank you again for continually putting the needs of others above your own.

Thank you and we wish you safety always in the performance of your duties.

Sincerely,

Mayor Rod Perkins  
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cc Mrs. Audrey Hebert, Chief Administrative Officer, Town of Kindersley  
Staff Sgt. Ray Blais, RCMP Kindersley Detachment  
Chief Ron Hope, Kindersley Fire Department  
Tracey Watt, Kindersley Emergency Medical Services  
Ms. Michelle Weber, Director, West Central Crisis & Family Support Centre Inc.



**COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF KINDERSLEY  
REGULAR MEETING  
HELD IN COUNCIL CHAMBERS  
APRIL 22, 2019**

**CERTIFIED TRUE COPY OF A RESOLUTION**

11.2 Emergency  
Preparedness  
Week  
May 5 to 11, 2019

MOVED: Councillor Galbraith  
SECONDED: Councillor Anderson  
RESOLUTION: 128-19

WHEREAS the Council of the Town of Kindersley recognizes the importance of Emergency Management in Saskatchewan; and

WHEREAS the goal of Emergency Preparedness Week is to raise community awareness regarding the need for residents to take ownership for preparation for the possibility of an emergency; and

WHEREAS we must all prepare now to learn how to secure a strong and healthy tomorrow;

THEREFORE I, Mayor Rod Perkins, do hereby proclaim the week of May 5 to May 11, 2019 to be Emergency Preparedness Week in the Town of Kindersley; and

THAT the Council of the Town of Kindersley encourages all residents to participate in educating themselves on emergency preparedness by taking four simple steps to become better prepared to face a range of emergencies:

- i. Know the risks;
- ii. Make a plan;
- iii. Get an emergency kit; and
- iv. Visit [www.getprepared.gc.ca](http://www.getprepared.gc.ca)

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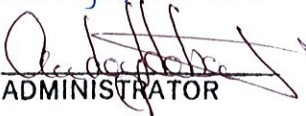
Resolution No. 128-19  
passed at the regular  
meeting of Council held

on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of

April, 2019

Dated this 06<sup>th</sup> day of

May, 2019

  
ADMINISTRATOR

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