



Strathcona County

Prostate Cancer Awareness Month

- WHEREAS** Prostate Cancer is the most common cancer to affect Canadian men; and
- WHEREAS** 1 in 7 men will be diagnosed with the disease in his lifetime; and
- WHEREAS** an estimated 23,100 Canadian men will be diagnosed with prostate cancer this year; and
- WHEREAS** the survival rate for prostate cancer can be over 90% when detected early; and
- WHEREAS** those with a family history of the disease, or those of African or Caribbean descent, are at a greater risk of developing prostate cancer; and
- WHEREAS** Prostate Cancer Canada recommends that men get a PSA test in their 40s to establish their baseline;

NOW THEREFORE I, Mayor Roxanne Carr, do hereby proclaim September 2017 as "Prostate Cancer Awareness Month" in Strathcona County.

Dated this 1 day of September, 2017.

Signed by
Roxanne Carr, Mayor