



Proclamation

“National Drowning Prevention Week”

- WHEREAS,** most drownings are preventable, and education and a healthy respect for the potential danger that any body of water may present can give our community an opportunity to safely enjoy the beauty and recreation opportunities offered by these bodies of water; and
- WHEREAS,** residents of Enderby are urged to supervise children who are in and around the water, to refrain from drinking alcoholic beverages while participating in aquatic activities, and to always wear a lifejacket when boating; and
- WHEREAS,** the United Nations General Assembly passed the UN Resolution on Drowning Prevention (A/75/L.76) and named July 25th of each year as World Drowning Prevention Day; and
- WHEREAS,** Lifesaving Society Canada has declared July 19-25, 2026 as National Drowning Prevention Week to focus on the drowning problem and the hundreds of lives that could be saved this year.
- NOW, THEREFORE,** Council for the City of Enderby, HEREBY DECLARES, July 19-25, 2026 as:

“National Drowning Prevention Week”

In the City of Enderby.

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Huck Galbraith
Mayor