



PURPLE DAY

PROCLAMATION

Epilepsy is a neurological disorder characterized by recurring seizures that can significantly impact an individual's physical, psychological, and social well-being.

WHEREAS: One in one hundred Albertans are currently living with a diagnosis of epilepsy;

and,

WHEREAS: People of all ages, races, and backgrounds can develop epilepsy at any time in

their lives; and.

WHEREAS: By learning about epilepsy and seizure first aid, we are better prepared to offer

acceptance, understanding, and support for those impacted by epilepsy.

The City of Medicine Hat commends the work of the Epilepsy Association of Calgary in raising awareness and understanding of epilepsy, reducing stigma, and empowering those who live with epilepsy to participate fully in their communities.

THEREFORE: I, Linnsie Clark, Mayor of the City of Medicine Hat, do hereby proclaim March 26, 2023, as "Purple Day" in Medicine Hat, Alberta, Canada.

Mayor Linnsie Clark City of Medicine Hat