



PROCLAMATION

FAMILY DOCTOR DAY

May 19, 2026

- WHEREAS: County residents trust and rely on their family doctors to provide health care that is both timely and of the highest quality; and
- WHEREAS: we recognize and appreciate that 80% of health care in Alberta is delivered in communities by family doctors and primary health care providers; and
- WHEREAS: the foundation of an effective health care system for Alberta starts with strong primary health care; and
- WHEREAS: Family Doctor Day provides an opportunity to celebrate and acknowledge the central role family doctors have in the delivery of personal, comprehensive, and continuing health care for people throughout their lives; and
- WHEREAS: Family Doctor Day also presents the opportunity for governments, health care organizations, other professionals, and patients to recognize the vital role family doctors have.
- NOW THEREFORE: I, Reeve, Craig Lukinuk, do hereby proclaim May 19, 2026, as Family Doctor Day in Smoky Lake County.