



PROCLAMATION

TREATY No. 6 DAY

August 23, 2026

- WHEREAS: on August 23, 1876, Treaty No. 6 was first signed at Fort Carlton and on September 9, 1876 at Fort Pitt, Saskatchewan between the Crown, Cree, Chipewyan, and Stoney Nations; and
- WHEREAS: the signing of Treaty No. 6 is an agreement established through Ceremony, with intentions of sharing the land and living in peaceful coexistence with all peoples without interference in one another's laws, governments, and ways of life; and
- WHEREAS: Smoky Lake County was founded within Treaty No. 6 territory and recognizes Smoky Lake County's connection with the First Peoples of this land; and
- WHEREAS: Smoky Lake County recognizes that Treaty No. 6 will live on forever, as long as the sun shines, the grass grows and the waters flow; and
- WHEREAS: Smoky Lake County acknowledges and celebrates the rich cultures, history, and contributions of the First Nations, Inuit and Métis Peoples of the land; and
- WHEREAS: Smoky Lake County understands that we are all Treaty Partners, and as such, we have a responsibility to acknowledge and care for the land that sustains us.
- NOW THEREFORE: I, Reeve, Craig Lukinuk of Smoky Lake County, hereby proclaim August 23, 2026 to be designated as Treaty No. 6 Day in Smoky Lake County.