



WORLD SEPSIS DAY

SEPTEMBER 13, 2025

WHEREAS Earth Day was first celebrated on April 22, 1970, as a response to the environmental degradation caused by the Industrial Revolution, including the pollution of land, air, and water; and

WHEREAS Sepsis is a serious, life-threatening illness caused by the body's overreaction to an existing infection that affects Canadians of all ages each year; and

WHEREAS early recognition and timely treatment of Sepsis are critical to improving survival rates, reducing the burden on healthcare systems, and preventing long-term complications; and

WHEREAS World Sepsis Day, observed on September 13th, serves as an opportunity to raise awareness, educate the public, healthcare professionals, and policymakers about the signs, symptoms, and preventative measures related to Sepsis.

NOW THEREFORE Members of Okotoks Town Council do hereby proclaim September 13, 2025 as World Sepsis Day in the Town of Okotoks.

--ORIGINAL SIGNED--