

Proclamation
National Day for Truth and Reconciliation
Saturday, September 30, 2023

WHEREAS The Government of Canada is committed to reconciliation and ensuring that the tragic history and ongoing legacy of residential schools is never forgotten; and

WHEREAS The Municipality of Sioux Lookout remains committed to acknowledging the tragic and painful history and legacy of residential schools; and

WHEREAS The Municipality of Sioux Lookout is committed to recognizing the Truth and Reconciliation Commission’s Call to Action #80, to establish a National Day for Truth and Reconciliation; and

WHEREAS The Municipality of Sioux Lookout recognizes that the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation is but one small step in our journey to advance reconciliation, right historical wrongs, and reflect on how we can build a more inclusive Municipality; and

WHEREAS The National Day for Truth and Reconciliation is an opportunity for all Canadians to reflect, learn, grieve, and take collective action towards reconciliation;

NOW
THEREFORE I, Doug Lawrance, Mayor of the Municipality of Sioux Lookout, do hereby proclaim **Saturday, September 30, 2023** as “**National Day for Truth and Reconciliation**” and do commend its thoughtful observance in the Municipality of Sioux Lookout.



Signed:

Doug Lawrance, Mayor
Municipality of Sioux Lookout