



**TOWNSHIP OF EDWARDSBURGH CARDINAL
INFORMATION ITEM**

Committee: Committee of the Whole – Administration & Finance

Date: September 13, 2021

Department: Administration

Topic: Proclamation Request – Legion Week

Background: Staff received a request from the local Legion branches for the Township to issue a proclamation to proclaim September 19 to 25, 2021 as Legion Week in Edwardsburgh Cardinal. The proclamation recognizes the Royal Canadian Legion for their support to veterans and the many benefits the organization offers to their members and the communities.

Staff have prepared and attached the proclamation certificate to be signed by the Mayor. The proclamation will be posted to the Township website. The local Legion group plans to organize a small photo opportunity to publish to social media.

Policy Implications: The proclamation request complies with the Township's Proclamation Policy. The Royal Canadian Legion, through the proclamation, may help to increase public awareness of their programs and activities.

Proclamation requests that have been granted in the past 5 years, are to be reviewed by the Clerk against the eligibility criteria and will be presented to the Mayor for approval. As this request has been received and granted in the past, it does not require a formal resolution/approval from Council.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'R. Williams'.

Clerk