

Proclamation

Office of the Mayor

National Day of Mourning April 28, 2025

WHEREAS the National Day of Mourning has been recognized since April 28, 1991; and

AND WHEREAS on April 28th we honour the millions of Ontarians impacted by a workplace fatality, injury, or illness; and

AND WHEREAS according to the Association of Workers' Compensation Boards of Canada, in 2023, there were 1,057 workplace fatalities recorded in Canada; and

AND WHEREAS there were 274,022 accepted claims for lost time due to a work-related injury or disease, including 32,861 from workers aged 15-24; and

AND WHEREAS the National Day of Mourning has since spread to about 80 countries around the world.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council of the Town of Pelham hereby proclaims April 28, 2025 as National Day of Mourning in the Town of Pelham.

DATED AT the Town of Pelham this 24th day of April, 2025.

Mayor Marvin Junkin Town of Pelham