CHESTERMERE

From the Office of the Mayor

# PROCLAMATION

# DYSLEXIA AWARENESS MONTH
# OCTOBER 2022

**WHEREAS:** Dyslexia is a learning condition that affects a person's abilities to process words and numbers;

**WHEREAS:** 10 to 20 percent of Canadians, including one in five children, are impacted by dyslexia;

**WHEREAS:** When dyslexia is identified, and appropriate instruction is provided, reading and writing skills can be improved at any age;

**WHEREAS:** When children with dyslexia are identified and properly supported starting in kindergarten, their reading difficulties can be reduced or even prevented:

**NOW THEREFORE,** **I, Jeff Colvin, Mayor of the City of Chestermere, do hereby designate the month of October 2022, as Dyslexia Awareness Month in the City of Chestermere.**

**Dated this 4 day of October, 2022**

**Mayor Jeff Colvin**

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