

Proclamation

Remembrance Period

October 25 - November 11, 2024

Whereas the purpose of the Legion, as contained in the "Act to Incorporate," include:

- perpetuate the memory and deeds of the fallen and those who die in the future;
- to promote and care for memorials to their valour and sacrifice...to keep an annual Memorial Day, to preserve the records and memorials of the service and to see that such service not be forgotten by the nation;
- to educate public opinion regarding national duties to the dead
- to foster loyalty among the public and education of the principles of patriotism, duty and unstinted public service; and

Whereas every person who has been initiated into membership in the Royal Canadian Legion has sworn to uphold and advance the aims and objectives of the Legion; and

Whereas the Dominion Command of the Royal Canadian Legion has designated the days beginning October 25 and ending on November 11, 2024 as "Remembrance Period;" and

Whereas it is recommended that all loyal members of the Royal Canadian Legion and all other residents of the Town of Aurora remember the following:

- 1. Remembrance Period is a time for each one of us to reflect and recall the sacrifices made by our Veterans to ensure the peace we now enjoy.
- 2. The Poppy is the symbol of Remembrance, Peace and Hope for the future

Therefore be it resolved that, on behalf of the Corporation of the Town of Aurora, I, Mayor Tom Mrakas, do hereby proclaim the period of October 25 – November 11, 2024 as Remembrance Period in the Town of Aurora.

Tom Mrakas Mayor