

MEETING DATE: AUGUST 21, 2018

REQUEST FOR DECISION - TO COUNCIL

SUBJECT

**PROCLAMATION OF DEVELOPMENT OFFICER'S WEEK AND RAIL SAFETY WEEK –
MOTION REQUIRED**

RECOMMENDATION

THAT the County of Vermilion River proclaim September 24, 2018 to September 28, 2018 to be designated as Development Officer's Week and/or September 23, 2018 to September 29, 2018 as Rail Safety Week in the County of Vermilion River.

DETAILS

Background: Each year the County receives numerous requests for proclamations. This year, the County received requests to proclaim Development Officers week and CN Rail Safety week. Coincidentally, the weeks fall on the same dates this year. Council may therefore proclaim one or the other, or both if they wish.

Discussion:

Development Officers Week

A Development Officer is a current planning and development specialist with knowledge in current legislation, policy and bylaws, systems and technical requirements for physical development within communities in the Province of Alberta.

Rail Safety Week

Hand in hand with operation lifesaver, CN's police service and employees will be in communities conducting hundreds of safety initiatives throughout the week.

Desired Outcome (s): To declare September 24, 2018 to September 28, 2018 Development Officer's Week and/or September 23, 2018 to September 29, 2018 Rail Safety Week in the County of Vermilion River.

Response Options: THAT the County of Vermilion River proclaim Development Officer's Week and/or Rail Safety Week in the County of Vermilion River.



OR

THAT the County of Vermilion River receive the requests for proclamation for information.

IMPLICATIONS OF RECOMMENDATION

Communication Required: Website

Implementation: September 23/24, 2018

ATTACHMENTS

1. Proclamation
2. Letter from CN

PREPARED BY: Director of Planning & Development

DATE: August 2, 2018