



Naheed K. Nenshi, Mayor

PROCLAMATION

End Poverty Month was initiated to raise awareness for the serious social issue of poverty and to serve as a platform for Calgarians to realize their contribution to poverty reduction. It is centered around the United Nation's International Day for the Eradication of Poverty.


Whereas: An estimated 127,000 (1 in 10) Calgarians, including 22,000 children, are living in poverty, creating a long-term impact on our entire community;

Whereas: One in five Calgarians are worried about not having enough money for food;

Whereas: Several events are taking place throughout the month of October to showcase Calgary's work around reducing poverty in our communities.

On behalf of City Council and the citizens of Calgary, I hereby proclaim the month of October 2017 as:

“END POVERTY MONTH”


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MAYOR

