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THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF BARRIE  
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# PROCLAMATION

I, JEFF LEHMAN, Mayor of the City of BARRIE,

do hereby proclaim

**September 18, 2022 – September 24, 2022**

as

## National Forest Week

- WHEREAS;** Canada's forests are a valuable, renewable resource that contribute to our economy and the livelihoods of our communities; and
- WHEREAS;** Canada's forests play a crucial role in maintaining healthy ecosystems, clean air and water and wildlife habitat whilst being an important aspect of climate change mitigation efforts; and
- WHEREAS;** The City of Barrie and its citizens rely on the surrounding forests for livelihood, health, and recreation; and
- WHEREAS;** This annual one-week campaign with the theme of "Canada's Forests: Solutions for a Changing Climate" will be celebrated across Canada by individuals and organizations.
- THEREFORE,** I, Jeff Lehman, Mayor of the City of Barrie, do hereby proclaim the week of **September 18 to September 24, 2022** as "**National Forest Week**" in the City of Barrie.



Jeff Lehman,  
Mayor