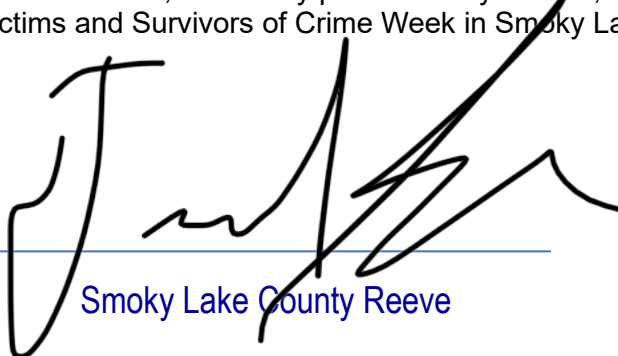




**PROCLAMATION**  
**NATIONAL POLICE WEEK &**  
**VICTIMS AND SURVIVORS OF CRIME WEEK**  
**May 13 - 18, 2024**

- WHEREAS: everyday we appreciate the dedication of the brave men and women who put their lives on the line to ensure our safety and security; and
- WHEREAS: the officers that serve are more than just a uniform and often work and reside in the county they serve; and
- WHEREAS: a well-functioning criminal justice system is one that serves all Canadians, protects victims and their families, and creates a safer and stronger Canada for everyone; and
- WHEREAS: an important aspect of policing is providing care and attention to victims. We acknowledge the dedicated work of staff, volunteers and service providers who assist victims and their families; and
- WHEREAS: our County is fortunate to have a compassionate partnership between policing, County services and victim support agencies, to ensure the safety and wellbeing of our residents.
- NOW THEREFORE: I, Reeve, Jered Serben, do hereby proclaim May 13 - 18, 2024, as National Police Week & Victims and Survivors of Crime Week in Smoky Lake County.



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Smoky Lake County Reeve