



# Proclamation

## SOCIAL WORK WEEK

March 10-16, 2019

*“Social Work: Real People – Real Impact”*

- Whereas:** The primary mission of the Social Work profession is to enhance well-being and help meet the basic needs of all people, especially the most vulnerable in society; and
- Whereas:** Social Workers know from experience that poverty and trauma can create lifelong social and economic disadvantages; and
- Whereas:** Social Workers are change experts who put the ideals of citizenship into action every day through major legislative, regulatory and social policy victories; and
- Whereas:** Social Workers support diverse families in every community, understanding that individuals and communities together can bring about group change; and
- Whereas:** Social Workers help people in every stage of life to function better in their environments, improve their relationships with others and solve personal and family problems; and
- Whereas:** research shows that all people, no matter their circumstance, at some time in their lives, may need the expertise of a skilled Social Worker.

Now therefore, as Mayor of the City of Prince George,  
I proclaim that the that March 10 -16, 2019 be observed as:

**“SOCIAL WORK WEEK”**  
in the City of Prince George.

Mayor Lyn Hall  
City of Prince George