

## THE CITY OF WINDSOR

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

DREW DILKENS, DBA
MAYOR

## **PROCLAMATION**

"Srebrenica Genocide Remembrance Day"
July 11, 2024

WHEREAS:

In 2010, the Canadian House of Commons unanimously passed Motion M-416, which

recognized the Genocide and established Srebrenica Genocide Remembrance Day in

Canada; and,

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In 2015, The House of Commons unanimously passed a historic motion to recognize

the month of April as Genocide Remembrance, Condemnation, and Prevention month, and named those recognized by Canada's House of Commons to include the

Srebrenica Genocide; and,

WHEREAS:

In 2019, Members of the Canadian Parliament tabled Petition e-1837, calling upon the

Canadian Government to enact legislation that would prohibit Srebrenica Genocide

denial in Canada; and,

WHEREAS:

In 2024, Canada joined the list of sponsors of the United Nations General Assembly

Resolution declaring July 11 as the International Day of Remembrance of the Genocide

in Srebrenica in 1995; and,

WHEREAS:

The Institute for Research of Genocide Canada is the organization representing the

Bosniaks in Canada; and,

THEREFORE: I, Drew Dilkens, Mayor of the City of Windsor, do hereby proclaim

July 11, 2024

'Srebrenica Genocide Remembrance Day

in the City of Windsor.

Mayor