



Naheed K. Nenshi, Mayor

## PROCLAMATION

*National Drowning Prevention Week* is an opportunity to focus community attention on water safety and drowning prevention. Practicing Water Smart behavior year-round is key to reducing the risk of drowning and water-related injury for all Canadians.

Whereas: Most drownings are preventable, and Water Smart education and a healthy respect for the potential danger of any body of water can ensure the safe enjoyment of water activities;

Whereas: Swim survival skills are essential and The City of Calgary offers Lifesaving Society programs including Swim to Survive and Junior Lifesaving Club;

Whereas: Calgarians are reminded to always actively supervise children in and around water, and take precautions when participating in aquatic and boating activities.

On behalf of City Council and the citizens of Calgary, I hereby proclaim the week of July 18-24, 2021 as:

**“NATIONAL DROWNING PREVENTION WEEK”**

**NAHEED K. NENSHI  
MAYOR**

