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September 30, 2026

Dr. Raj Khanuja, OMC, DDS
Founder – National Dental Care Day

Sent by email: rajdds@yahoo.com

Re: Proclamation Request - National Dental Care Day 2026

At its regular meeting of Council held on September 16, 2026, the Township of Amaranth Council passed the following resolution:

Resolution #: 10

Moved by: S. Graham

Seconded by: V. Paan

BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

Whereas oral health is an essential component of overall health and well-being, and access to preventive dental care and oral health education contributes to healthier individuals, families, and communities;

And Whereas National Dental Care Day is a Canadian public awareness initiative dedicated to promoting oral health education, preventive care, and equitable access to oral healthcare services, particularly for underserved and vulnerable populations;

And Whereas this initiative recognizes the valuable contributions of dentists, dental hygienists, dental assistants, educators, volunteers, and community organizations that work to improve oral healthcare outcomes and support healthier communities;

And Whereas increasing awareness about preventive dental care, oral hygiene, and early intervention can help improve long-term health outcomes, reduce barriers to care, and strengthen public health and community wellness initiatives;

Now Therefore, I, Mayor Chris Gerrits, on behalf of Township of Amaranth Council, do hereby proclaim October 10, 2026 as “National Dental Care Day” in the Township of Amaranth and encourage residents to recognize the importance of oral health and support initiatives that promote accessible dental care, preventive education, and community wellness.

CARRIED

Please do not hesitate to contact the office if you require any further information on this matter.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Nicole Martin', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Nicole Martin, Dipl. M.A.
CAO/Clerk