

JOHN TORY
MAYOR

Proclamation

International Development Week

February 6 – 12, 2022

WHEREAS International Development Week raises awareness of Canadian contributions to international cooperation and encourages Canadians to be active global citizens who are committed to universal and sustainable development.

The City of Toronto recognizes the many organizations and individuals that are working toward this goal, many of which are in Toronto, that are aligned with the United Nations' 2030 Agenda and the Sustainable Development Goals which Canada adopted in 2015.

The City remains committed to being a model for sustainable development, including through its TransformTO Net Zero Strategy, a climate action strategy approved by Toronto City Council in 2021. The plan sets out low-carbon targets and actions to address the climate emergency, reduce local greenhouse gas emissions, improve our health, grow our economy and improve social equity.

The City of Toronto is invested in community building to help ensure that every resident, community, organization, agency or business can contribute to our collective growth, learning and development. The City supports healthy communities by partnering with and investing in people, services, programs that impact city-wide change.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Mayor John Tory, on behalf of Toronto City Council, do hereby proclaim **February 6 – 12, 2022** as "**International Development Week**" in the City of Toronto.



John Tory
Mayor of Toronto

