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THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF BARRIE
Mayor's Office

PROCLAMATION

I, JEFF LEHMAN, Mayor of the City of BARRIE,

do hereby proclaim

October 19, 2020 – October 25, 2020

as

Waste Reduction Week

- WHEREAS;** The generation of solid waste and the needless waste of water and energy resources are recognized as global environmental problems; and
- WHEREAS;** Municipal governments have an important role to play in promoting waste reduction, reuse, recycling, composting and other conservation measures; and
- WHEREAS;** Communities, businesses and organizations across Canada have committed to working together to raise awareness of these issues during Waste Reduction Week in Canada; and
- WHEREAS;** Due to COVID-19 restrictions, Business Performance and Environmental Sustainability has arranged for on-line activities to take place in cooperation with the Barrie Public Library. Each day of Waste Reduction Week has an associated theme and is presented through the lens of its contribution to advancing a Circular Economy:

Monday, October 19 – Circular Economy & Kickoff
Tuesday, October 20 – Textiles
Wednesday, October 21 – E-Waste
Thursday, October 22 – Plastics
Friday, October 23 – Food Waste
Saturday, October 24 Sharing Economy
Sunday, October 25 - Swap and Repair

THEREFORE, I, Jeff Lehman, Mayor of the City of Barrie, do hereby proclaim the week of **October 19 to October 25, 2020** as "**Waste Reduction Week**" in the City of Barrie and encourage residents to learn more about waste diversion and waste reduction.



Jeff Lehman,
Mayor