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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 the month of

June 2019

as

Barrie Concert Band Month

- WHEREAS;** Since 1869, Barrie Concert Band has been in continual existence, and is deemed to be the oldest music organization in the City of Barrie; and
- WHEREAS;** For 150 years, Barrie Concert Band has been active in the community playing at the City Hall Rotunda, Senior's Homes, Travelogues, Concert Series venues, Santa Claus Parades, Fundraising events, Sunday Evening Concerts in the Park and many Special Events throughout the City of Barrie over the past century and a half; and
- WHEREAS;** Barrie Concert Band will be performing their 150 Years – Let's Celebrate! Concert on June 1st at Collier Street United Church. During the concert, a commissioned piece commemorating the 150th anniversary will be performed for the first time; and
- WHEREAS;** The Canadian Band Association – Ontario Chapter is pleased to announce Barrie Concert Band as the Host Band for the CBA Band Weekend June 15 & 16, bringing together bands from across Ontario to participate in a mass band concert on June 16th which will be free to the public to enjoy.
- THEREFORE,** I, Jeff Lehman, Mayor of the City of Barrie, do hereby proclaim the month of **June 2019** to be "**Barrie Concert Band Month.**"



Jeff Lehman
Mayor