

PROCLAMATION



WHEREAS, Alberta is home to thousands of poliomyelitis survivors;

AND WHEREAS, while no new cases of polio have been recorded in Canada since the introduction of the Salk Vaccine, post-polio syndrome still affects a sizeable population of Albertans;

AND WHEREAS, new polio cases are still emergent in many other nations worldwide;

AND WHEREAS, during Polio Awareness Month, affiliated organizations will host special events to heighten awareness of the effects of polio and the search for a cure for post-polio syndrome;

THEREFORE I, MAYOR STEPHEN MANDEL, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM MARCH AS "POLIO AWARENESS MONTH" IN EDMONTON, ALBERTA'S CAPITAL CITY.

Dated this 27TH day of February, 2007

Stephen Mandel

Mayor of the City of Edmonton

