



Proclamation

MANUFACTURING MONTH

- Whereas:* manufacturing makes a significant contribution to British Columbia's economy and the prosperity of its citizens; and
- Whereas:* in British Columbia, manufacturing is the third largest contributor to the provincial economy, generating \$53 billion in value-added output (6.9% of the provincial gross domestic product) and 58.8% of provincial exports; and
- Whereas:* Prince George is home to over 55 manufacturers with many leading innovation in sectors such as machinery, wood products and building products; and
- Whereas:* the products that our citizens use each day were created, designed, developed and produced by manufacturers; and
- Whereas:* Canadian Manufacturers & Exporters (CME) and partner organizations are presenting events and planning communications through the month of October to heighten the profile of manufacturing and reinforce that manufacturing professions and skilled trade occupations are inspiring and rewarding careers; and

Now therefore, as Mayor of the City of Prince George,

I proclaim **October 2021** as:
"MANUFACTURING MONTH"
in the City of Prince George.

Mayor Lyn Hall