



PROVINCE OF MANITOBA

# PROCLAMATION

## SCHOOL SUPPORT STAFF RECOGNITION WEEK

**WHEREAS** The Manitoba Government declares September 28 to October 2, 2015, as School Support Staff Recognition Week in honour of the work done every day by school support staff for Manitoba's students in Kindergarten to Grade 12 schools; and

**WHEREAS** School support staff work in a variety of occupations such as: custodian, bus driver, educational assistant, clerical support person, library technician, maintenance/trades person/mechanic, community liaison worker, IT Support/Computer person, labourer/utility worker, attendance officer, safety officer, courier, food service worker; and

**WHEREAS** School support staff perform a very important role in schools and in the functioning of Manitoba's education system; and

**WHEREAS** School support staff help schools ensure that the education our students receive is engaging and of high quality, preparing them for lifelong learning and participation in a socially just, democratic and sustainable society; and

**WHEREAS** It is appropriate that school support staff are acknowledged and thanked for their contribution and commitment to the education of students; and

**WHEREAS** The Manitoba Government encourages citizens in communities from across Manitoba to express gratitude toward school support staff in our province.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT KNOWN THAT** I, James Allum, Minister of Education and Advanced Learning for the Province of Manitoba, do hereby proclaim that the week of September 28 to October 2, 2015, is designated as

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in Manitoba and I commend its thoughtful observance to all citizens of our province.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "James Allum".

