



PROVINCE OF MANITOBA

PROCLAMATION

Home Visitors Day

- WHEREAS** Families First has been established for 10 years and has been a central program of Manitoba's public health care system; and
- WHEREAS** Families First has become a core component of prenatal and postpartum practice within the early childhood development system of care, service and support across all regions of Manitoba; and
- WHEREAS** Families First Home Visitors have become integral to public health practice by supporting and partnering with parents to promote children's well-being and development; and
- WHEREAS** Families First has proven, measurable, and meaningful benefits to participating families in caring for their young children and helping parents to create more safe and secure, nurturing, and stimulating environments for their children to develop physically, cognitively, emotionally and socially, to their fullest potential; and
- WHEREAS** The investments and efforts made by Families First home visitors benefit children, families, communities, and the social and economic development of the Province of Manitoba;

Now, therefore let it be known that I, Jim Rondeau, Minister of Healthy Living, Youth and Seniors, and Chair of the Healthy Child Committee of Cabinet, do hereby proclaim the day of June 14th, as

Home Visitors Day

in Manitoba and call upon the citizens of Manitoba to acknowledge the importance of Families First Home Visitors and the services they provide to parents, children, families and communities towards the healthy development and best possible outcomes for all Manitoba children.

Minister of Healthy Living,
Youth and Seniors

