

Message from His Worship Mayor of Oshawa Dan Carter

On behalf of Members of Council and the citizens of Oshawa, it is my pleasure to recognize the 28th Anniversary of Falun Dafa Day.

In such uncertain times, it is so encouraging to see occasions that continue to join us together from coast to coast. In this case, it's individuals paying tribute to the introduction of the practice of Falun Dafa to the public.

Falun Dafa stands for the principles and values of "truthfulness, compassion and forbearance". Today, as we face a global pandemic, truthfulness is of the utmost importance. We must rely on honest, factual data to make wise decisions and remain educated. Compassion helps us to look out for our neighbour, to give to those who have less than we do. Lastly, forbearance in the face of uncertainty gives us the patience to see through the darkness and to know that it is only temporary and that there will be a light at the end.

The City of Oshawa is proud to show its support for an event that embodies such a strong, fitting message of spiritual, mental and physical wellbeing. We send our good wishes to you on this important occasion.

Yours truly,

Dan Carter Mayor