

## **Proclamation**

May 13, 2021

## **Falun Dafa Day**

**Whereas**, Falun Dafa (also known as Falun Gong) is an advanced exercise and spiritual practice for mind and body that honours the universal values of Truthfulness, Compassion, and Forbearance; and

**Whereas**, Falun Dafa has benefited both physically and spiritually tens of millions of people from diverse cultural backgrounds in over 100 countries, including Canada, since its public introduction in China in May 1992; and

**Whereas**, Falun Dafa transcends cultural and racial boundaries and contributes to a more peaceful, tolerant, and compassionate society; and

**Whereas**, Falun Dafa practitioners in communities across Canada are celebrating Falun Dafa day on May 13 to mark this year as the 29<sup>th</sup> Anniversary;

Now Therefore, I, Mayor Sandy Brown, on behalf of Council, do hereby proclaim May 13, 2021 as "Falun Dafa Day" in the Town of Orangeville.

Sandy Brown Mayor