

Proclamation April 25-27 2025

District A9 Lions Convention Weekend

Whereas, from April 25-27, 2025, the Orangeville Lions will be hosting the annual Lions District A9 Convention with the theme "One Team – One Dream". The Lions group strives to improve the local community and adhere to the Lions International motto "We Serve". There are 40 Lions Clubs in District A9 which will bring approximately 150-200 attendees; and

Whereas, Orangeville Lions Club was chartered on April 12, 1949 and has served the community for over 76 years. Current fundraising projects include the annual Spring Home and Garden Show and Lions TV Bingo. Every dollar raised by the Orangeville Lions is put directly back into the community to support various projects and community groups, including a new pump track at the Alder Arena, the Lions Sports Park and the Idylwyld Pool Building and Multi-Sport pad; and

Whereas, over the past two years the following organizations have received funding from the proceeds of Lions TV Bingo: Alzheimers Society; Bethal Hospice; Big Brothers and Big Sisters of Dufferin County; Camp Dorset; Celiac Canada; Dufferin Emergency Search and Rescue; Food Cupboard – St. Marks Church; Headwaters Healthcare Centre; Hospice Dufferin; Lion Foundation of Canada – Dog Guides; Lions Home for the Deaf; Meals on Wheels – Project Life Saver; Orangeville Curling Club; Skate Canada – Orangeville; The Lighthouse and Theatre Orangeville;

Now Therefore, I, Mayor Lisa Post, on behalf of Council, do hereby proclaim April 25-27, 2025 as "District A9 Lions Convention Weekend" in the Town of Orangeville.

Lisa Post Mayor