

ARBOR DAY PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the Town of Erie trees can reduce the erosion of our precious topsoil by wind and water, cut heating and cooling costs, moderate the temperature, clean the air, product oxygen and provide habitat for wildlife; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Erie trees are a renewable resource giving us paper, wood for our homes, fuel for our fires and countless other wood products; and

WHEREAS, the trees planted in our town increase property values, enhance the economic vitality of business areas, and beautify our community; and

WHEREAS, the trees, wherever they are planted, are a source of joy and renewal; and **WHEREAS**, the Town of Erie has been recognized as a "Tree City U.S.A" by the National Arbor Day Foundation.

NOW, therefore, I, Brian O'Connor, on behalf of Andrew J. Moore, Mayor of the Town of Erie, do hereby proclaim April 26, 2025, to be Arbor Day in the Town of Erie do hereby proclaim April 26, 2025, to be Arbor Day in the Town of Erie.

DATED THIS 25th DAY OF MARCH, 2025

	Andrew J. Moore, Mayor	
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