

**For immediate release,**

January 30, 2007

**Mayoral Proclamation in Edmonton**

**WHEREAS, the Raising the Roof Toque Tuesday campaign is a national initiative giving Canadians the chance to raise funds, raise fun and raise awareness in the fight against homelessness;**

**AND WHEREAS, Edmonton City Council and the Edmonton Housing Trust Fund recognize homelessness as a serious issue in our city and campaigns such as Toque Tuesday make a difference in the lives of thousands of men, women and children who are homeless or at risk of homelessness;**

**AND WHEREAS, Tuesday February 6, 2007 marks the 10th anniversary of this important campaign and citizens city-wide are requested to warm their heads and their hearts by supporting Toque Tuesday 2007;**

**THEREFORE I, MAYOR STEPHEN MANDEL, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM February 6<sup>th</sup> “TOQUE TUESDAY” IN EDMONTON, ALBERTA’S CAPITAL CITY.**

**Dated this 30<sup>TH</sup> day of January, 2007**

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**Mayor of the City of Edmonton**