

MAKE YOUR MARK ON OUR HISTORY AND OUR FUTURE

April 24, 2017

DRAYTON VALLEY- On February 1, 2017, Mayor Glenn McLean, on behalf of the Town, accepted with gratitude, a Chain of Office to commemorate Drayton Valley's 60th Anniversary. The Chain of Office is comprised of several significant elements which are beautifully displayed on a Canadian beaver pelt. These elements are; the official crest of the Town, Drayton Valley's logo, the Alberta shield and two maple leaves.

The Chain of Office was crafted to reflect the character of the community and currently contains four blank medallions which are awaiting design ideas. Each blank medallion will serve to represent one of four pillars that make Drayton Valley the unique community it is: Culture and Heritage, Community, Entrepreneurial Spirit, and Natural Environment.

An opportunity exists to leave your mark on this historical item. The Town is inviting artists of all ages and abilities to submit their creative expressions to be considered for selection on one of the four medallions on the Chain of Office.

"The Chain of Office is steeped in historic tradition and is a visual representation of our community, its history, and its future," noted Mayor Glenn McLean. "It is an honour to extend this opportunity to the community to participate in the completion of the Chain of Office. This expression of community spirit will pay tribute to our past and will demonstrate the endless possibilities for our future."

Details on the four pillars, size and artwork requirements are available on the Town's website www.draytonvalley.ca/chain-of-office/ or can be picked up at the Town Office located at 5120-52 Street. Submissions will be accepted until June 1, 2017 and can be dropped off at the Town Office or emailed to plivingston@draytonvalley.ca.

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