

City Hall Illumination/Lighting Request Form

For full policy details outlining City Hall Illumination requests please [see the Flag Flying Proclamations and Public Awareness Campaigns policy here](#) (City Hall Illumination starts on page 7).

Name of Requesting Organization *

Safe 'N Sound Grey Bruce

Contact Information

Name *

Wren Fitzakerley

Email Address *

fundraising@safensoundgreybruce.ca

Home/Cell Phone Number *

[REDACTED]

Work Phone Number

[REDACTED]

City Hall Lighting Date(s)

Illumination requests will be granted for a maximum duration of seven (7) days unless there are no conflicting requests in which case the duration may extend to a maximum duration of fourteen (14) days, at the discretion of the City Manager.

Requests will be considered on a first come, first served basis, based on the date the request is received by the City Manager's office; requests should be made at least two (2) weeks in advance of the desired lighting date.

Please note that the changing of City Hall lights will take place on regular business days.

Starting Date of Illumination: *

8/31/2025



End Date of Illumination: *

9/1/2025



Requested Light Colours

At this time, the only colour options available are: Green, Blue, Red, White, and Pink/Purple.

No other colours are available at this time.

Please select the colour of your illumination request: *

- Green
- Blue
- Red
- White
- Pink/Purple

Details/Purpose of the illumination event: *

International Overdose Awareness Day (IOAD) is a global campaign for a world without overdose. Every year, IOAD brings a global community together to remember friends and family lost to overdose, and to raise awareness of evidence-based prevention tools.

Last year, landmarks all over the world were lit purple in recognition of IOAD, including Niagara Falls, Toronto's CN Tower, Los Angeles City Hall, Melbourne's iconic Flinders Street train station, and the historical Marischal College building in Aberdeen, Scotland. This year we are hoping for even more landmarks to light up for IOAD.

I would be grateful if the City of Owen Sound was able to formally recognize IOAD by lighting City Hall purple on the night of August 31.

This will send a powerful message of support to the families in Owen Sound and Grey County that overdose is preventable.

If you would like to discuss this further, please contact me on 226-668-4328 or fundraising@safensoundgreybruce.ca.

For more information and to get a social media kit to promote your purple landmark, visit overdoseday.com/purple-landmarks

Description of your organization including a brief history and any other relevant information: *

Safe 'N Sound is a community within a community where our Participants (people at risk of homelessness or who are currently homeless) can access basic needs as well as support, advocacy, and referral.

Upon arrival, Participants are warmly greeted by friends and understanding staff. Accessing services is as simple as entering, grabbing a coffee, and settling in. No proof of eligibility is required; everyone is welcome as they are. All services are FREE!

Safe 'N Sound tailors its programming to meet individual needs, offering a range of essentials such as food, clothing, showers, laundry, hygiene products, and more. This inclusive approach attracts regular visitors who may not otherwise seek support, leading to opportunities for crisis counseling, housing assistance, and referrals to specialized programs. By fostering trust and rapport, we empower participants to access additional services when they're ready.

Would you like to submit your City Hall illumination request to happen annually? *

- Yes, please repeat on an annual basis
- No, this one time only

Please note that it is up to the person/group submitting the request to contact the City if the annual date changes or discontinues for any reason.

By submitting this form, you affirm that the facts set forth in it are true and complete. All City Hall illumination requests must adhere to the [Flag Flying, Proclamations and Public Awareness Campaigns Policy](#).

The personal information on this form is collected under the authority of the Municipal Act, 2001, 227 and City Policy CMA34. The information is used for the City Hall lighting process including, but not limited to, evaluating requests for illumination events and contacting the requestor.

City Manager Approval - signature & date

Date on Council Consent Agenda

Thank you for submitting your request.

You will receive a confirmation email of your application and further communication from City staff.

Please note that you can find the [Flag Flying Proclamations and Public Awareness Campaigns Policy](#) on our [website here](#).