Inspiring Albertans one simple act at a time

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## May 22 is World Biodiversity Day

This year, the spotlight on Environment Week in Alberta is **biodiversity**. Our province is biologically diverse with numerous habitats and ecosystems, including prairie, mountains, wetlands, forests and riparian. Within each habitat exists an interrelated web of life that is crucial to the well being of all is inhabitants.

Plan to host or attend a <u>Green Stop</u> during Environment Week. Organize something that will bring people together to celebrate biodiversity. Get involved in some <u>citizen science</u> and learn about where you live.



## Variety is the spice of life.

Population growth and development over recent years have both placed increased pressure on Alberta's biodiversity. Simple actions have been categorized into the challenges facing biodiversity in Alberta and elsewhere. Commit to Biodiversity with <a href="One Simple Act">One Simple Act</a>. Together we can make a difference.

## Did you know?

More than 400 bird, 90 mammal, 18 reptile and amphibian, 50 fishes and 1,800 flowering species can be found in Alberta.

Together, we make a difference, one simple act at a time. Share what you are doing to help biodiversity in Alberta on our facebook page, <a href="https://www.facebook.com/onesimpleactalberta">www.facebook.com/onesimpleactalberta</a>

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