



## CITY OF VICTORIA

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# PROCLAMATION

### “ST. GEORGE’S DAY”

**WHEREAS** *the City of Victoria is named after named after Queen Victoria of the British United Kingdom; and*

**WHEREAS** *many Victoria streets and other landmarks, got their names from British Immigrants or were constructed by British Immigrants from England; and*

**WHEREAS** *much of Victoria's History, Culture, Customs and Development is the result of those that came from England and it is still very visible in many parts of Victoria; and*

**WHEREAS** *many that have a British Heritage still continue to contribute and take an active role in the growth and development of the City of Victoria; and*

**WHEREAS** *England’s influence can be seen in the English related businesses and buildings throughout Victoria; and*

**WHEREAS** *the City of Victoria recognizes the contributions of those of our citizens that came from England and the British Isles*

**NOW, THEREFORE** *I do hereby proclaim Thursday, April 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2021 as “ST. GEORGE’S DAY” on the HOMELANDS of the Lekwungen speaking SONGHEES AND ESQUIMALT PEOPLE in the CITY OF VICTORIA, CAPITAL CITY of the PROVINCE of BRITISH COLUMBIA.*

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, *I hereunto set my hand this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of April, Two Thousand and Twenty-One.*

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**LISA HELPS**  
**MAYOR**  
**CITY OF VICTORIA**  
**BRITISH COLUMBIA**

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