



CITY OF VICTORIA

PROCLAMATION

“WORLD REFRIDGERATION DAY”

WHEREAS *the heating, ventilation, air conditioning, refrigeration, and water heating industry employs over 1.3 million people in the United States; and*

WHEREAS *refrigeration technology is used to preserve and enable transport of food and medicine, provide thermal comfort, and improve air quality through ventilation, thus allowing society to live, travel and work safely and comfortably; and*

WHEREAS *the fourth annual World Refrigeration Day celebrated this year has the theme of Cooling Matters, recognizing that cooling provides essential benefits to the public, and cooling technology contributes to the well-being of future generations; and*

WHEREAS *World Refrigeration Day is recognized by ASHRAE, the United Nations Environment Program, and more than 60 organizations, corporations and government agencies dedicated to raising public awareness of refrigeration’s positive contributions to quality of life; and*

WHEREAS *ASHRAE sets standards and guidelines for the heating, ventilation, air conditioning and refrigeration industry, in addition to certifying and educating people in the industry across the country; and*

WHEREAS *the Vancouver Island Chapter of ASHRAE acknowledges the impact of the heating, ventilation, air conditioning, refrigeration, and water heating industry across the City of Victoria (fill in name of city, county, state or municipality) in honor of World Refrigeration Day, observed June 26, 2022.*

NOW, THEREFORE *I do hereby proclaim Sunday June 26th, 2022 as “WORLD REFRIDGERATION 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 23rd day of June, Two Thousand and Twenty-Two.*

LISA HELPS
MAYOR
CITY OF VICTORIA
BRITISH COLUMBIA

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