

**“INTERGENERATIONAL DAY CANADA”**

**WHEREAS** *Intergenerational Day Canada, June 1<sup>st</sup>, is meant to raise awareness about the power of making simple, respectful intergenerational connections; and*

**WHEREAS** *Intergenerational Day Canada, June 1<sup>st</sup>, is a day to focus on the profound positive influence intergenerational connecting has on eliminating isolation and loneliness, moving us towards healthy, all-age friendly communities; and*

**WHEREAS** *Intergenerational Day Canada, June 1<sup>st</sup>, is a day to celebrate all of the good things presently taking place between generations in local community; and*

**WHEREAS** *Intergenerational Day Canada, June 1<sup>st</sup>, does not require funding, excessive time or extensive planning, but rather comes from the people for the people; and*

**WHEREAS** *Intergenerational Day Canada, June 1<sup>st</sup>, will be an official reminder, a yearly invitation for every citizen to take one small respectful step to bridge generations within his or her local community.*

**NOW, THEREFORE** *I do hereby proclaim the day June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2017 as*  
***“INTERGENERATIONAL DAY CANADA” on the***  
***TRADITIONAL TERRITORIES of the ESQUIMALT AND SONGHEES***  
***FIRST NATIONS in the CITY OF VICTORIA, CAPITAL CITY of the***  
***PROVINCE of BRITISH COLUMBIA.***

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, *I hereunto set my hand this 11<sup>th</sup> day of May, Two Thousand and Seventeen.*

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

**Sponsored by:**  
**Sharon MacKenzie**  
**Executive Director**  
**i2i Intergenerational Society of Canada**



## **Committee of the Whole Report**

**For the Meeting of May 4, 2017**

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**To:** Committee of the Whole **Date:** April 25, 2017  
**From:** Chris Coates, City Clerk  
**Subject:** Proclamation "Intergenerational Day Canada" June 1, 2017

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### **RECOMMENDATION**

That the Intergenerational Day Canada, June 1, 2017 Proclamation be forwarded to the May 11, 2017 Council meeting for Council's consideration.

### **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

Attached as Appendix A is the requested Intergenerational Day Canada Proclamation. Council has recently established policy addressing Proclamation requests. The policy provides for:

- A staff report to Committee of the Whole.
- Each Proclamation request requiring a motion approved at Committee of the Whole prior to forwarding it to Council for their consideration.
- Staff providing Council with a list of Proclamations made in the previous year.
- Council voting on each Proclamation individually.
- Council's consideration of Proclamations is to fulfil a request rather than taking a position.

A list of 2016 and 2017 Proclamations is provided as Appendix B in accordance with the new policy. Consistent with City Policy, Proclamations issued are established as fulfilling a request and does not represent an endorsement of the content of the Proclamation.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Chris Coates".

Chris Coates  
City Clerk

Appendix A: Proclamation "Intergenerational Day Canada"  
Appendix B: List of Previously Approved Proclamations