

“NATIONAL TEEN DRIVER SAFETY WEEK”

WHEREAS *driving is an important and exciting right of passage for youth. It is also one of the riskiest activities for young people to engage in; and*

WHEREAS *teen driver safety is a significant issue in Canada. Young drivers are over represented in all road-related injuries and fatalities; and*

WHEREAS *National Teen Driver Safety Week is a week dedicated to raising awareness and seeking solutions to preventable teen deaths on the road across Canada. Everyone has a role to play in creating change amongst their peers, in classrooms and in their communities; and*

NOW, THEREFORE *I do hereby proclaim October 16th to October 22nd, 2016 as “NATIONAL TEEN DRIVER SAFETY WEEK” in the CITY OF VICTORIA, CAPITAL CITY of the PROVINCE of BRITISH COLUMBIA, the TRADITIONAL TERRITORIES of the ESQUIMALT AND SONGHEES FIRST NATIONS.*

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, *I hereunto set my hand this 13th day of October, Two Thousand and Sixteen.*

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

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