

City of Campbell River From the Office of the Mayor

- PROCLAMATION-

WHEREAS Child Find British Columbia, a provincial member of Child Find Canada is a non-profit, registered charitable organization incorporated in 1984;

- AND WHEREAS the mandate of Child Find British Columbia is to educate children and adults about abduction prevention, to promote awareness of the problem of missing children and to assist in the location of missing children;
- **AND WHEREAS** Child Find has recognized "Green" as the colour of Hope, which symbolizes a light in the darkness for all missing children;
- **AND WHEREAS** Child Find's annual Green Ribbon of Hope Campaign is held in the month of May and May 25th is National Missing Children's Day;
- NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that I, Walter Jakeway, Mayor, do hereby proclaim May 2012 to be observed as:

"CHILD FIND'S GREEN RIBBON OF HOPE MONTH"

and May 25th, 2012 to be observed as:

"NATIONAL MISSING CHILDREN'S DAY"

in the City of Campbell River, Province of British Columbia.

I urge our citizens to wear a green ribbon as a symbol of hope for the recovery of all missing children, and to remain vigilant in our common desire to protect and nurture the youth of our Province.

Dated this 24th day of April, 2012 at Campbell River, B.C.

Walter Jakeway

MAYOR