

City of Campbell River From the Office of the Mayor

- PROCLAMATION-

- WHEREAS Parkinson's disease, for which there is no known cause or cure, is a progressive, degenerative neurological disorder which causes tremor or trembling of the arms and legs, muscular rigidity, slowness of movement and difficulty with speaking and swallowing;
- AND WHEREAS Parkinson's affects approximately 11,000 adults in the Province of British Columbia;
- **AND WHEREAS** Parkinson Society British Columbia is providing information, consultation, support services and educational seminars for people with Parkinson's and their families; and is promoting a better understanding of this disorder;
- **AND WHEREAS** it is desirable to increase the level of understanding of Parkinson's and the needs of persons living with Parkinson's:

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT I, Walter Jakeway, Mayor of the City of Campbell River in the Province of British Columbia, do hereby proclaim the month of April 2012 to be:

"PARKINSON'S AWARENESS MONTH"

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

Dated this 5th day of April, 2012 in Campbell River BC.

Walter Jakeway MAY0R