

- PROCLAMATION -

WHEREAS the Lighthouse Centre serves approximately 20,000 hot meals a year and

meets with clients on a daily basis for referrals to treatment for drug and

alcohol abuse;

AND WHEREAS In partnership with BC housing, the Salvation Army provides 15 low barrier

extreme weather shelter mats at their Lighthouse Centre during the coldest

months of the year;

AND WHEREAS over 400 local households are assisted annually with vouchers for clothing

and household supplies through our thrift stores as well as emergency food

hampers;

AND WHEREAS in partnership with the local business community and generous individuals

last year their Adopt a Family program helped approximately 50 local families

with Christmas food and toy hampers;

AND WHEREAS in partnership with B.C. Housing up to 22 warm beds per night for individuals

and families are provided at their Evergreen House facility;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that I, **Walter Jakeway, Mayor** of the City of Campbell River do hereby proclaim November 23, 2012 to be:

"SALVATION ARMY KETTLE DAY"

Dated this 19th day of November, 2012 in Campbell River.

Walter Jakeway

MAYOR