

## -PROCLAMATION-

WHEREAS The City of Campbell River is committed to the belief that equal

opportunity and treatment should exist for all people; and

WHEREAS Every resident of Campbell River has the right to realize his or her

potential, regardless of race, colour, national or ethnic origin, and live at all times in conditions of dignity, respect, and peace; and

WHEREAS The General Assembly of the United Nations has designated

March 21st as the International Day for the Elimination of Racial

Discrimination; and

WHEREAS The elimination of racism and racial discrimination can be

accomplished through understanding and respect for the dignity of

all people, and is the social and moral responsibility of each

person;

**NOW THEREFORE** I, Walter Jakeway, Mayor, of the City of

Campbell River do hereby proclaim March 21st, 2012 as:

"INTERNATIONAL DAY FOR THE ELIMINATION OF RACIAL DISCRIMINATION"

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

Dated this 17<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2012 at Campbell River, B.C.

Walter Jakewa∕y, MAYOR