

## -PROCLAMATION-

WHEREAS The General Assembly of the United Nations has designated one day each year

as the International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination;

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

treatment should exist for all people;

AND WHEREAS All residents of Campbell River have the right to realize their potential, regardless

of race, colour, national or ethnic origin;

AND WHEREAS All residents of Campbell River have the right to live at all times in conditions of

dignity, respect and peace;

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, Roger McDonell, Mayor of the City of Campbell River

do hereby proclaim April 5, 2008 as the day to celebrate:

"INTERNATIONAL DAY FOR THE ELIMINATION OF RACIAL DISCRIMINATION"

in the City of Campbell River, British Columbia.

Dated this fourth day of April 2008.

Roger McDonell MAYOR