



City of Campbell River  
From the Office of the Mayor

**- PROCLAMATION -**

- WHEREAS** the Métis people are recognized as one of Canada's aboriginal peoples pursuant to section 35 of the Constitution Act, 1982;
- AND WHEREAS** the Métis culture, rich in spiritual beliefs and colourful traditions, is an integral part of British Columbia's multicultural character;
- AND WHEREAS** throughout history, Métis citizens have made significant contributions to the development and success of our Province;
- AND WHEREAS** Louis Riel has made an enormous contribution towards the development of this country and British Columbia recognizes November 16, "Louis Riel Day", as a national Métis holiday in commemoration of the anniversary of the death of Louis Riel;
- AND WHEREAS** this November 16 marks the 139<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Louis Riel's death;

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT I, Kermit Dahl, Mayor of the City of Campbell River, do hereby proclaim November 16, 2024 as:**

***"Louis Riel Day"***

***And the week of November 13 to 20, 2024***

***"Métis Cultural Awareness Week"***

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

Dated this 30<sup>th</sup> day of October 2024 in Campbell River BC.

  
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**Kermit Dahl**  
**MAYOR**