



PROCLAMATION

NATIONAL MISSING CHILDREN'S MONTH - MAY 2018 AND MISSING CHILDREN'S DAY - MAY 25, 2018

WHEREAS: Child Find British Columbia, a provincial member of Child Find Canada is a non-profit, registered charitable organization, incorporated in 1984; and,

WHEREAS: The Mandate of Child Find British Columbia is to educate children and adults about abduction prevention; to promote awareness of the problem of missing children, and to assist in the location of missing children; and,

WHEREAS: Child Find has recognized Green as the colour of Hope, which symbolizes a light in the darkness for all missing children; and,

WHEREAS: Child Find's annual Green Ribbon of Hope Campaign will be held in the month of May and May 25th is National Missing Children's Day; and,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT I, Bill McKay, Mayor of the City of Nanaimo, do hereby proclaim that the month of May 2018, be known as:

"CHILD FIND'S GREEN RIBBON OF HOPE MONTH"

And that May 25th, 2018, be known as:

"NATIONAL MISSING CHILDREN'S DAY"

in the City of Nanaimo.

I urge our citizens to wear a green ribbon as a symbol of Hope for the recovery of all missing children; and to remain vigilant in our common desire to protect and nurture the youth of our Province.



Bill McKay
MAYOR

DATED THIS 25th DAY OF APRIL 2018

