



PROCLAMATION

BURN AWARENESS WEEK  
FEBRUARY 5 – 11/2012

WHEREAS: many dedicated Fire Service Professionals have volunteered their off-duty time and skills to support burn survivors and increase the public's knowledge about fire and burn safety issues; and

WHEREAS: the vast majority of burn injuries to children occur in the home and are caused by scalding liquids; and

WHEREAS: the 2012 prevention and education theme for this period is

“Matches and Lighters are Tools not Toys”

NOW THEREFORE, I, John Ruttan, Mayor of the City of Nanaimo, do hereby proclaim the week of February 5<sup>th</sup> to February 11<sup>th</sup>, 2012 as:

**BURN AWARENESS WEEK: MATCHES AND LIGHTERS ARE TOOLS NOT TOYS**

In the City of Nanaimo.

  
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John Ruttan  
MAYOR



DATED THIS 23RD DAY OF JANUARY, 2012.