



PROCLAMATION


PARKINSON'S AWARENESS MONTH APRIL 2020

- WHEREAS: Parkinson's disease, for which there is no known cause or cure, is a progressive, degenerative neurological disorder which causes tremor or trembling of the arms and legs, muscular rigidity, slowness of movement and difficulty with speaking and swallowing; and
- WHEREAS: Parkinson's affects approximately 13,000 adults in the Province of British Columbia; and
- WHEREAS: Parkinson Society British Columbia is providing information, consultation, support services and educational seminars for people with Parkinson's and their families; and is promoting a better understanding of this disorder; and
- WHEREAS: it is desirable to increase the level of understanding of Parkinson's and the needs of persons suffering from Parkinson's.

NOW, THEREFORE I, Leonard Krog, Mayor of the City of Nanaimo, do hereby proclaim that the month of April 2020, be known as:

"PARKINSON'S AWARENESS MONTH"

in the City of Nanaimo.


Leonard Krog
MAYOR

Dated this 4th day of February 2020.

