



PROCLAMATION

CRPS/RSD AWARENESS DAY

November 2025

WHEREAS: Complex Regional Pain Syndrome (CRFS), also known as Reflex Sympathetic Dystrophy (RSD) is a nerve disorder that causes chronic pain; and

WHEREAS: the symptoms of CRPS/RSD are often described as burning that is out of proportion to the severity of the initial injury and can include swelling and extreme sensitivity to touch; and

WHEREAS: while CRPS/RSD was first identified during the Civil War, it remains a poorly understood condition. There is no cure; and

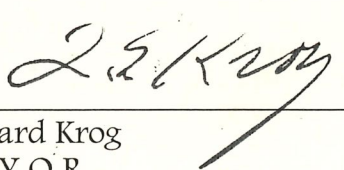
WHEREAS: the National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke and other institutes of the National Institutes of Health support research relating to CRPS/RSD; and

WHEREAS: members of the CRFS/RSD community will spread awareness in November.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Leonard Krog, Mayor of the City of Nanaimo, do hereby proclaim November 2025 as:

CRPS/RSD AWARENESS DAY

in the City of Nanaimo, Province of British Columbia.


Leonard Krog
MAYOR

Dated the 19th day of November 2025

