



On behalf of Council, City staff and the residents of our community, I am saddened and deeply troubled by the acts of violence in a Quebec City mosque on Sunday. It is truly disturbing to hear of citizens being attacked while they worship.

Nanaimo is an inclusive community where neighbours help and care for one another. But, we are not immune to intolerance. Together, we must continue to speak out against hatred and show compassion for one another.

We stand with the rest of Canada in mourning and support of the victims of this horrific tragedy.

In memory of the victims, the Canadian flag at City Hall will fly at half-mast until further notice.

Bill McKay  
Mayor