



Office of the Mayor

CITY OF NORTH VANCOUVER
BRITISH COLUMBIA

Proclamation

STOP THE SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF CHILDREN AND YOUTH AWARENESS WEEK

Whereas

sexual exploitation of children and youth is criminal abuse and has lasting impacts on the victims, their families and our community;

Whereas

the annual Stop the Sexual Exploitation of Children and Youth Awareness Week in BC recognizes the importance of developing prevention, education, enforcement and intervention strategies to address the sexual exploitation of children and youth;

And Whereas

the City of North Vancouver supports the awareness week led by the Ministry of Public Safety and Solicitor General;

Now Therefore

I, Linda Buchanan, Mayor of the City of North Vancouver, do hereby proclaim **March 4 to 10, 2024** as **Stop the Sexual Exploitation of Children and Youth Awareness Week** in the City of North Vancouver, the traditional territories of the Squamish and Tsleil-Waututh Nations.

So proclaimed on Monday, March 4, 2024

Linda C. Buchanan

Mayor Linda Buchanan