



Office of the Mayor
CITY OF RICHMOND
BRITISH COLUMBIA

Proclamation

- WHEREAS,** The Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms gives everyone equal rights “without discrimination and, in particular without discrimination based on race, national or ethnic origin, colour, religion, sex, age or mental or physical disability”; and
- WHEREAS,** in 21st Century Canadian society, racism and acts of hatred have no place in any of our provinces, territories, regions, towns and cities and Canadians must come together to call all acts of racism and hatred; yet there has been a dramatic surge in incidents of racism across Canada, particularly instances of anti-Asian racism across Canada; and
- WHEREAS,** aiming to maintain our values as inclusive and racially diverse Canadians, we support a stronger, more inclusive society where everyone can feel safe, happy and healthy.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Malcolm D. Brodie, as MAYOR of the City of Richmond, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM May 10, 2022, as,

“DAY OF ACTION AGAINST ANTI-ASIAN RACISM”

in the City of Richmond

**Malcolm D. Brodie
MAYOR**