

## **Proclamation**

## Habitat for Humanity VIN (Vancouver Island North) Day October 7, 2024

WHEREAS: Habitat for Humanity is a global non-profit organization dedicated to eliminating

poverty housing and homelessness, and to making decent shelter a matter of

conscience and action; and

WHEREAS: Since opening its doors in 2004, Habitat for Humanity VIN has been instrumental

in building safe, affordable housing for families in need across Vancouver Island North. In 20 years, a total of 55 families have been served and are now homeowners. The organization's efforts have empowered countless families,

giving them a strong foundation for better futures; and

WHEREAS: the spirit of collaboration and community exemplified by Habitat for Humanity

inspires individuals to come together, regardless of background or beliefs, to work towards a common goal of providing affordable housing and improving the

quality of life for families; and

WHEREAS: Habitat for Humanity Day provides an opportunity to recognize and celebrate

the tremendous impact of this organization, honor the dedicated work of its volunteers and partners, and encourage continued support and involvement in

building a world where everyone has a place to call home.

NOW THEREFORE: I, Bob Wells, Mayor of the City of Courtenay, do hereby proclaim October 7, 2024

as Habitat for Humanity VIN Day in Courtenay, BC.

