

**Office of the Mayor** CITY OF NORTH VANCOUVER **BRITISH COLUMBIA** 



## **DAY OF MOURNING**

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the Parliament of Canada passed the Workers Mourning Day Act in 1991, making April 28 an official Day of Mourning;

in British Columbia alone, 175 workers lost their lives in 2023 as a result of workplace injury and occupational disease;

annual observance of this day provides an opportunity to raise public awareness of occupational health and safety and strengthens our resolve for the business community to establish safe and healthy conditions in the workplace;

And Whereas

Now Therefore

the Day of Mourning is dedicated to remembering those who have lost their lives, suffered injury or illness on the job, or experienced a workrelated tragedy;

I, Linda Buchanan, Mayor of the City of North Vancouver, do hereby proclaim April 28, 2024 as Day of Mourning in the City of North Vancouver, the traditional territories of the Squamish and Tsleil-Waututh Nations.

So proclaimed on Monday, April 22, 2024

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Mayor Linda Buchanan