

Proclamation

PINK SHIRT DAY

reducing and eventually eliminating bullying is a priority of our City;

Now Therefore

Whereas Whereas over 90% of bullying incidents have peer witnesses, and when those peers intervene, most incidents are over within 10 seconds;

partnerships between school boards, parents, educators and the community provide information, training and resources to help schools and communities enhance awareness of bullying and how to stop it;

it is important that we encourage everyone throughout the City of And Whereas North Vancouver and wider community to be caring and respectful to one another so that all students can learn in a safe environment;

> I, Linda Buchanan, Mayor of the City of North Vancouver, do hereby proclaim February 26, 2025 as Pink Shirt Day in the City of North Vancouver, the traditional territories of the Squamish and Tsleil-Waututh Nations.

> > So proclaimed on Wednesday, February 26, 2025

Mayor Linda Buchanan