

WHEREAS

THEREFORE,

CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ESQUIMALT

Families in all of their diverse forms are the fundamental units of our society;

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PROCLAMATION

"FAMILY MONTH"

February 2024

and **WHEREAS** Families are our source of inspiration, strength, education, and protection in society; and Families can extend beyond their own ancestry to networks of friends and WHEREAS supporters and can be defined by personal choice; and **WHEREAS** Families encourage personal growth and foster individuals who make fruitful contributions to our society at all levels; and WHEREAS Families make a significant contribution to supporting Healthy Communities; and **WHEREAS** Families are deserving of public policies that ensure the enhancement of their opportunities for security, growth, and esteem.

Family Month

In the Municipality of Esquimalt, Province of British Columbia.

I, Barbara Desjardins, Mayor of the Corporation of the Township of

Esquimalt, do hereby proclaim the month of February each year as

Barbara Desjardins Mayor