



## CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ESQUIMALT

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# PROCLAMATION

## “NATIONAL MISSING CHILDREN’S MONTH AND MISSING CHILDREN’S DAY”

MAY 1-31, 2019

- WHEREAS** Child Find British Columbia, a provincial member of Child Find Canada is a non-profit, registered charitable organization, incorporated in 1984; and
- WHEREAS** The mandate of Child Find British Columbia is to educate children and adults about abduction prevention; to promote awareness of the problem of missing children, and to assist in the location of missing children; and
- WHEREAS** Child Find has recognized Green as the colour of Hope, which symbolizes a light in the darkness for all missing children; and
- WHEREAS** Child Find’s annual Green Ribbon of Hope Campaign will be held in the month of May and May 25<sup>th</sup> is National Missing Children’s Day; and
- WHEREAS** All citizens are urged to wear a green ribbon as a symbol of Hope for the recovery of all missing children and to remain vigilant in our common desire to protect and nurture the youth of our Province.
- THEREFORE,** I, Barbara Desjardins, Mayor of the Corporation of the Township of Esquimalt, do hereby proclaim May 1-31, 2019 as

### **National Missing Children’s Month**

and May 25, 2019 as

### **National Missing Children’s Day**

In the Municipality of Esquimalt, Province of British Columbia.

Barbara Desjardins  
Mayor