



# CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ESQUIMALT

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## PROCLAMATION

### “NATIONAL FOREST WEEK”

September 18–24, 2022

**WHEREAS** Canada’s forests are a valuable, renewable resource that contribute to our economy and the livelihoods of our communities; and

**WHEREAS** Canada’s forests play a crucial role in maintaining healthy ecosystems, clean air and water and wildlife habitat whilst being an important aspect of climate change mitigation efforts; and

**WHEREAS** The Township of Esquimalt and its citizens rely on the surrounding forests for livelihood, health, and recreation; and

**WHEREAS** This annual one-week campaign with the theme of “Canada’s Forests: Solutions for a Changing Climate” will be celebrated across Canada by individuals and organizations.

**THEREFORE,** I, Barbara Desjardins, Mayor of the Corporation of the Township of Esquimalt, do hereby proclaim September 18 – 24, 2022 as

### NATIONAL FOREST WEEK

In the Municipality of Esquimalt, Province of British Columbia.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Barbara Desjardins".

Barbara Desjardins  
Mayor