

City of Burnaby



Proclamation

COMMEMORATION DAY

Whereas On April 13, 1919 peaceful protesters had gathered at Jallianwala Bagh in Amritsar, India, against the British occupation; and

WHEREAS British troops fired indiscriminately on the protestors leaving close to 1,000 people dead; and

WHEREAS Burnaby is a culturally diverse city comprising many people and communities; and

WHEREAS People of Indian descent in the City of Burnaby have greatly contributed to the social, cultural, economic and political development of the city; and

WHEREAS The City of Burnaby recognizes the contributions of the people of Indian heritage to the city.

NOW THEREFORE I, MIKE HURLEY, MAYOR OF BURNABY,
DO HEREBY PROCLAIM APRIL 13 AS

“COMMEMORATION DAY”

IN THE CITY OF BURNABY.

DATED THIS EIGHTH
DAY OF APRIL, 2019 A.D.

MIKE HURLEY
MAYOR

