

City of Burnaby



# Proclamation

## POPPY WEEKS

**Whereas** The purposes and objectives of the Legion, as contained in an Act to incorporate The Royal Canadian Legion, include: To perpetuate the memory and deeds of the fallen and of those who die in the future; to promote and care for memorials to their valour and sacrifice; to keep an annual Memorial Day; to preserve the records and memories of their service and to see that such services shall not be forgotten by the Nation; to educate public opinion regarding national duties to the dead; to foster loyalty among the public and education in the principles of patriotism, duty and unstinted public service; and

**WHEREAS** Every person who has been initiated into membership in The Royal Canadian Legion has sworn to uphold and advance the aims and objectives of the Legion; and

**WHEREAS** The National Poppy Committee has recommended that the observance of a Remembrance Week immediately prior to November 11 would do a great deal to encourage greater interest on the part of the public.

NOW THEREFORE I, MIKE HURLEY, MAYOR OF BURNABY,  
DO HEREBY PROCLAIM OCTOBER 30 – NOVEMBER 11 AS

# “POPPY WEEKS”

IN THE CITY OF BURNABY.

Dated this Twenty-sixth Day  
of October, 2020 A.D.

MIKE HURLEY  
MAYOR

