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PROCLAMATION

COMMUNITY SOCIAL SERVICES AWARENESS MONTH

WHEREAS community social services are vital to the quality of life of all British Columbians;

AND WHEREAS community social services in British Columbia include child care, community living supports, services for children, families, Aboriginal peoples, as well as people with disabilities, and people and families dealing with mental health and/or substance use issues, community justice services (including corrections services, victim services programs and violence against women programs, transition houses and sexual assault centres for women and their families), employment training programs, community rehabilitation services, multicultural and settlement and immigrant services;

AND WHEREAS the availability of these supportive services helps improve the quality of life for everyone, while making our communities stronger, stable and more economically sustainable;

AND WHEREAS awareness and support for these services begins at the local level;

NOW THEREFORE, on behalf of the Capital Regional District Board, I do hereby proclaim March, 2011 **COMMUNITY SOCIAL SERVICES AWARENESS MONTH** in the Capital Regional District;

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand this 16th day of February, Two Thousand and Eleven.


Geoff Young
CHAIR OF THE BOARD
CAPITAL REGIONAL DISTRICT