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Dear Esquimalt Council,

I hope this message finds you well. Earlier, I had reached out about the possibility of the City of Esquimalt supporting my campaign, *A Million Acts of Love*, which I started in memory of my sister, Lexi. This campaign holds a special place in my heart, as both Lexi and I called Esquimalt home, and it's where our shared love for community began.

I'm excited to share that Victoria's city councillors not only supported the initiative but even suggested that it be formalized as a proclamation and will recognize the month of November 16-December 16 as a Million Acts of Love month. We are now in the final stage of making this a reality, highlighting the spirit of kindness and community that *A Million Acts of Love* is all about. I have included the wording that is being suggested below.

It made me realize that there might also be an opportunity for Esquimalt to join in by issuing its own proclamation. I hadn't realized this could be an option until Victoria council suggested it. I know the timeline is tight, but I wanted to reach out just in case it's possible. Victoria's support came together quickly,; however I realize it is different as it was their own suggestion to take this step. It would be incredibly meaningful to have Esquimalt—our home—be part of this special recognition.

Thank you for considering this. We appreciate the opportunity to make love and kindness a priority in our community.

With gratitude,

Felix Townsin

“A MILLION ACTS OF LOVE MONTH”

WHEREAS A Million Acts of Love is a global campaign initiated by Felix Townsin, a 14-year-old from Victoria, in memory of his sister, Lexi, with the goal of inspiring kindness and positive action in communities worldwide; and

WHEREAS This campaign encourages individuals, families, schools, businesses, and communities to engage in compassionate acts of love to help build a more harmonious world; and

WHEREAS A Million Acts of Love aims to reach its first milestone of one million acts of love by December 16, 2024, Lexi's birthday, and will continue as a growing movement to promote kindness and unity in the years ahead; and

WHEREAS The period from November 16 to December 16 will be designated as A Million

Acts of Love Month, during which people are encouraged to focus their efforts on spreading kindness and making a meaningful impact in their communities and beyond; and

WHEREAS A Million Acts of Love supports youth-driven initiatives by offering A Million Acts of Love Grants, providing financial support and mentorship to young leaders who seek to create positive change in their communities; and

WHEREAS This initiative promotes unity and cooperation, urging people of all ages to understand the transformative power of kindness and the ripple effect it creates in society; and

WHEREAS The residents of Victoria are invited each year to take part in this movement by performing acts of kindness during A Million Acts of Love Month, encouraging others to join in and amplify the campaign's impact; and

WHEREAS A Million Acts of Love brings together diverse communities each year, transcending differences to emphasize our shared humanity and collective desire to make the world a better place.

NOW, THEREFORE I do hereby proclaim the month of November 16th to December 16th, as "A MILLION ACTS OF LOVE MONTH" on the HOMELANDS of the Lekwungen People, the SONGHEES NATION and the XWSEPSUM NATION, in the CITY OF VICTORIA, the CAPITAL CITY of the PROVINCE of BRITISH COLUMBIA. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand this TBD Day of November, Two Thousand and Twenty-Four.