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**Honoured & privileged to work on the lək̓ʷəŋən traditional territory
and respectfully acknowledge the people of the Songhees and
Esquimalt Nations. Nətsəmat (We are all One) həy̓x̓w̓qə.**



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Hello!

The [Greater Victoria Place Making Network](#) would like to submit a proclamation for July 20th 2024.

Please see the draft below, and let me know if any edits are needed.

- Whereas, the Township of Esquimalt recognizes the importance of fostering vibrant, inclusive, and sustainable communities; and
Whereas, placemaking enhances the quality of life for residents and visitors alike by collectively reimagining and reinventing public spaces as the heart of every community and;

Whereas, the Greater Victoria Placemaking Network has been at the forefront of advocating for and implementing innovative placemaking initiatives throughout the region for the past decade, contributing significantly to the enhancement of our urban landscape; and

Whereas, July marks the 10th anniversary of the Greater Victoria Placemaking Network, a significant milestone deserving celebration; now, therefore,

I, [Mayor's Name], Mayor of the Township of Esquimalt do hereby proclaim the 20th of July as the "Placemaking Day" in Esquimalt.

Thank you! .

Bella Lee (she/her)

[REDACTED]

I respectfully acknowledge that I live and work within the ancestral, traditional, and unceded territory ləkʷəŋən peoples and the Songhees, Esquimalt and W̱SÁNEĆ peoples whose historical relationships with the land continue to this day.