



**PROCLAMATION  
EDUCATION SAVINGS WEEK  
NOVEMBER 20-26/2016**

WHEREAS: A post-secondary education is becoming more expensive and early planning more critical; and,

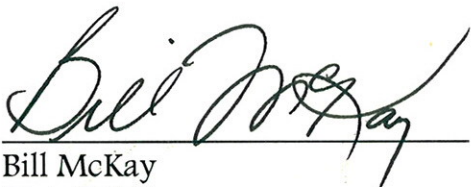
WHEREAS: There are strong and clear linkages between education and poverty reduction; and,

WHEREAS: A Registered Education Savings Plan (RESP) is one of the safest and most effective ways for families to save for their child's post-secondary education. RESPs ensure that families get all the available government grants and that their money is kept and invested in a safe and secure way.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Bill McKay, Mayor of the City of Nanaimo, do hereby proclaim that the week of November 20 to 26, 2016, be known as:

**"EDUCATION SAVINGS WEEK"**

in the City of Nanaimo.

  
Bill McKay  
MAYOR



Dated this 18<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2016.