

## -PROCLAMATION-

**WHEREAS** 

The full and effective participation of people living with cerebral palsy expresses the inherent dignity and worth of all persons;

**AND WHEREAS** 

Campbell River is committed to the elimination of all barriers, including physical and attitudinal, that would preclude the participation of all persons in the life of the community;

**AND WHEREAS** 

Cerebral palsy is the most common physical disability in childhood and is a non-progressive neuro-motor condition affecting 17 million people worldwide, including some 50,000 Canadians. In British Columbia, there are 10,000 people closely connected to someone living with cerebral palsy;

**AND WHEREAS** 

The Cerebral Palsy Association of British Columbia joins hundreds of organizations in more than 50 countries to celebrate and build a global community committed to creating a better world for people living with cerebral palsy and to see all people living with cerebral palsy to enjoy *Life Without Limits*.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT I, Andy Adams, Mayor of the City of Campbell River, do hereby proclaim October 5<sup>th</sup>, 2016 to be

"World Cerebral Palsy Day"

in the City of Campbell River, Province of British Columbia.

Dated this 5<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2016 in Campbell River BC.

Andy Adams