



Town of Creston Proclamation




COMMUNITY SOCIAL SERVICES AWARENESS MONTH March 2011

- WHEREAS** community social services are vital to the equality of life of all British Columbians; and
- WHEREAS** community social services in British Columbia include child care; community living supports; services for children and families, Aboriginal peoples, 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, settlement and immigrant services; and more; 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** greater recognition and understanding of the critical role these services play in our communities are needed to ensure their continued availability and improvement; and
- WHEREAS** awareness and support for these services beings at the local level.
- THEREFORE**, I, Ron Toyota, Mayor, declare the month of March 2011, in the Town of Creston, as

"Community Social Services Awareness Month"

Signed this 22nd day of February, 2011.



Ron Toyota, Mayor