



Proclamation

Wild Salmon Day

June 1, 2024

WHEREAS wild salmon are a fundamental component of the cultural, historical and economic way of life for Indigenous peoples and British Columbians; and

WHEREAS wild salmon are a keystone species, a critical part of intricate food webs in both their freshwater and marine environments; and

WHEREAS wild salmon in British Columbia are in decline and require support for recovery and resilience; and

WHEREAS protection and restoration of wild salmon habitats are vital to the recovery of the species across the province; and

WHEREAS "Wild Salmon Day in British Columbia" is an opportunity to raise awareness and show support for the topic across the province and in local communities.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that I, Brenda Locke, do hereby proclaim June 1, 2024 as "Wild Salmon Day" in the City of Surrey.

Mayor Brenda Locke
City of Surrey