

Office of the Mayor

Proclamation

WHEREAS:

Oral health is an essential component of overall health and well-being, and access to preventive dental care and oral health education contributes to healthier individuals, families, and communities;

AND WHEREAS:

National Dental Care Day is a Canadian public awareness initiative dedicated to promoting oral health education, preventive care, and equitable access to oral healthcare services, particularly for underserved and vulnerable populations;

AND WHEREAS:

This initiative recognizes the valuable contributions of dentists, dental hygienists, dental assistants, educators, volunteers, and community organizations that work to improve oral healthcare outcomes and support healthier communities;

AND WHEREAS:

Increasing awareness about preventive dental care, oral hygiene, and early intervention can help improve long-term health outcomes, reduce barriers to care, and strengthen public health and community wellness initiatives;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

I, Herb Pond, Mayor of the City of Prince Rupert, of the Province of British Columbia, Canada, do hereby proclaim the day of October 10, 2026 as National Dental Care Day in the City of Prince Rupert and encourage residents to recognize the importance of oral health and support initiatives that promote accessible dental care, preventive education, and community wellness.

Proclaimed this 8th day of September, 2026.



Mayor Herb Pond
City of Prince Rupert

