




Office of the Mayor
CITY OF RICHMOND
BRITISH COLUMBIA

Proclamation

- WHEREAS,** 2020 is the 50th anniversary of the Taoist Tai Chi arts in Canada that promote the ancient practices of Taoism, which enrich mental, spiritual and physical well-being.
- WHEREAS,** many people who practice these arts share their experiences of this practice which enhanced their social and spiritual connections, helped relieve pain, reduced stress, improve posture, circulation, balance; and
- WHEREAS,** in 1970, Master Moy Lin Shin, a Taoist monk, began teaching the Taoist Tai Chi path in Toronto, Canada; and
- WHEREAS,** today, Fung Loy Kok Institute of Taoism, together with its affiliates around the world, have trained volunteer instructors Taoist Tai Chi, and in turn to more than 40,000 participants in numerous locations throughout 26 countries, including 11,016 participants and 1,200 instructors in over 330 locations in Canada and many in the City of Richmond; and
- WHEREAS,** Fung Loy Kok Institute of Taoism and its affiliates practice the Taoist Tai Chi arts as path to ultimate transformation, using the guiding principles of compassion, virtue, and wisdom, in all we do; and
- WHEREAS,** Canada with its diverse population and appreciation for all cultures moving together in harmony to improving the wellness of its community should set aside a day to recognize the Fung Loy Kok Institute of Taoism.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Malcolm D. Brodie, as MAYOR of the City of Richmond, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM the November 7, 2020, as,

“Taoist Tai Chi Arts 50th Anniversary Day”
in the City of Richmond



Malcolm D. Brodie
MAYOR

