



Canada
Province of British Columbia
A Proclamation

ELIZABETH THE SECOND, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom,
Canada and Her other Realms and Territories, Queen, Head of the
Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith

To all to whom these presents shall come – Greeting

WHEREAS LOCO BC presents BC Buy Local Week to celebrate and bring awareness to the economic, social and environmental impacts of supporting local businesses in British Columbia, and

WHEREAS purchasing goods and services from locally owned businesses strengthens the local economy, fosters community and contributes to a greener province, and

WHEREAS buying from local businesses keeps money and jobs in British Columbia, and can improve sustainability by reducing the transportation of goods that can affect climate change, and

WHEREAS local businesses support local communities by giving back to local charities, school events and sports teams, and

WHEREAS this week we honour the efforts of small-business owners in British Columbia and the citizens who purchase from them;

NOW KNOW YE THAT We do by these presents proclaim and declare that December 2 to 8, 2019, shall be known as

“BC Buy Local Week”

in the Province of British Columbia.

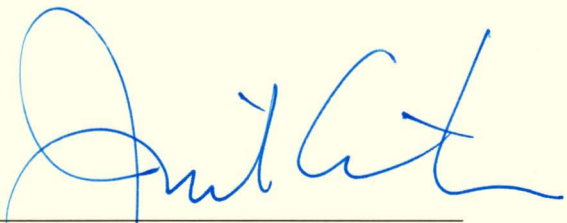
IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of Our Province of British Columbia to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS, The Honourable Janet Austin, Lieutenant Governor of Our Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our Province, this fourth day of November, two thousand nineteen and in the sixty-eighth year of Our Reign.

BY COMMAND.



Attorney General
(counter signature for the Great Seal)



Lieutenant Governor