



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 Parkinson's disease, for which there is no known cause or cure, is a progressive, degenerative neurological disorder that causes tremor or trembling of the arms and legs, muscular rigidity, slowness of movement, and difficulty with speaking and swallowing, and

WHEREAS Parkinson's disease affects approximately 14 000 adults in British Columbia, and

WHEREAS the Parkinson Society British Columbia provides information, consultation, support services and educational seminars for people with Parkinson's disease and their families to promote better understanding of this disorder, and

WHEREAS it is desirable to increase the level of understanding of Parkinson's disease and the needs of persons living with this disease;

NOW KNOW YE THAT We do by these presents proclaim and declare that April 2021 shall be known as

“Parkinson’s Awareness Month”

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 twenty-fifth day of March, two thousand twenty-one and in the seventieth year of Our Reign.

BY COMMAND.

Attorney General and
Minister Responsible for Housing
(counter signature for the Great Seal)

Lieutenant Governor