



# CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ESQUIMALT

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## PROCLAMATION

### “WORLD ELDER ABUSE AWARENESS DAY”

June 15, 2024

- WHEREAS** Seniors in the Township of Esquimalt are valued members of society, convey a wealth of experience and wisdom and deserve to live with dignity and respect, it is our collective responsibility to ensure they live safely and fully in a community that cares about them.; and
- WHEREAS** Elder abuse is not limited by race, gender, culture, and circumstance, and whether physical, emotional or financial, elder abuse takes an unacceptable toll on the mental and physical health, wellbeing and quality of life for individuals and families; and
- WHEREAS** Raising awareness of the issue of abuse of older adults will help improve the quality of life for all seniors in the Township of Esquimalt and allow seniors to continue to live as independently as possible and contribute to the life and vibrancy of Esquimalt and British Columbia.
- THEREFORE,** I, Barbara Desjardins, Mayor of the Corporation of the Township of Esquimalt, do hereby proclaim June 15, 2024 as

#### **World Elder Abuse Awareness Day**

In the Municipality of Esquimalt, Province of British Columbia.

Barbara Desjardins  
Mayor