



Office of the Mayor
CITY OF VANCOUVER
BRITISH COLUMBIA

Proclamation

"LUNAR NEW YEAR WEEK"

WHEREAS The City of Vancouver is home to a multitude of cultures and languages from around the world, and values diversity as a source of strength;

AND WHEREAS The City of Vancouver believes that celebrating diversity, be it gender, ability, ethnicity, religion, or sexual orientation, helps to create a vibrant community in which all individuals live in mutual respect and peace;

AND WHEREAS The City of Vancouver is home to a large and diverse Asian-Canadian community that has contributed significantly to the social and economic vitality of the city;

AND WHEREAS Lunar New Year encompasses many traditions, including that of Chinese, Vietnamese and Korean cultures, and is one of the most important celebrations of the year for many Vancouver residents;

AND WHEREAS Lunar New Year celebrations have become an integral tradition in the City of Vancouver:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Ken Sim, Mayor of the City of Vancouver, on behalf of Vancouver City Council DO HEREBY PROCLAIM the week of January 29 - February 4, 2025, as

"LUNAR NEW YEAR WEEK"

in the City of Vancouver.

Ken Sim
MAYOR

