



Office of the Mayor
CITY OF VANCOUVER
BRITISH COLUMBIA

Proclamation

"SAFE SPACES IN HOSPITALITY DAY"

WHEREAS	The hospitality industry plays a vital role in the social and economic fabric of our city, providing spaces for people to work gather, celebrate, and connect;
AND WHEREAS	Ensuring the safety and well-being of both workers and patrons in hospitality establishments is essential to fostering an inclusive and welcoming community;
AND WHEREAS	Incidents of sexual violence, harassment, and discrimination remain challenges within nightlife and hospitality spaces, requiring proactive measures and industry-wide commitment to prevention;
AND WHEREAS	Businesses, organizations, and individuals across the hospitality sector are working to create safer spaces through policies, training, and accountability initiatives;
AND WHEREAS	The Last Call Project and its partners have demonstrated leadership in promoting safer, more equitable hospitality environments through collaboration, education, and structured safety assessments;
AND WHEREAS	Acknowledging and supporting those who take action to prevent violence and create safer hospitality spaces encourages a culture of respect, accountability, and inclusion;
NOW, THEREFORE,	I, Ken Sim, Mayor of the City of Vancouver, on behalf of Vancouver City Council DO HEREBY PROCLAIM April 23 rd , 2025 as

"SAFE SPACES IN HOSPITALITY DAY"

in the City of Vancouver.



Ken Sim
MAYOR