

Canada Province of British Columbia

A Proclamation

CHARLES THE THIRD, by the Grace of God, King of Canada and His other Realms and Territories, Head of the Commonwealth

To all to whom these presents shall come — Greeting

WHEREAS magazines help readers stay informed on and engaged with current affairs and topics such as business, government, arts, culture, skills and training, and

WHEREAS print and digital magazines publish a wide variety of stories, cultural perspectives, and viewpoints from people living in British Columbia and across the world, and

WHEREAS locally produced magazines offer insight and understanding of the unique context and complexity of local communities, and

WHEREAS magazines offer readers an opportunity to explore, celebrate and engage with creativity and culture, and

WHEREAS BC Magazine Day is an opportunity to acknowledge the dedication of magazine professionals and publishers, appreciate the range and quality of local publications, and recognize the magazine industry's important contributions to informing and entertaining people living in British Columbia and around the world;

NOW KNOW YE THAT We do by these presents proclaim and declare that November 26, 2023, shall be known as

"BC Magazine Day"

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 twentieth day of November, two thousand twenty-three and in the second year of Our Reign.

BY COMMAND.

Attorney General

Lieutenant Governor