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PROCLAMATION

Buy Local Week

December 1 – 7, 2014

WHEREAS LOCO BC presents BC Buy Local Week, to celebrate and bring awareness to the economic, social and environmental benefit of supporting local business in British Columbia; and

WHEREAS the Whistler Centre for Sustainability and Local Whistler present Buy Local Week, to celebrate and bring awareness to the benefit of supporting local business in the Sea to Sky Corridor; and

WHEREAS purchasing goods and services from locally owned businesses strengthens the local economy, fosters community and contributes to a more sustainable region; and

WHEREAS bringing awareness to the purchasing power of buying locally shifts consumer spending towards locally made goods and services; and

WHEREAS this week we honour the efforts of regionally-based businesses in the Squamish-Lillooet Regional District and the citizens who purchase from them:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Patricia Heintzman, Chair of the Squamish-Lillooet Regional District, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM December 1-7, 2014 as Buy Local Week in the Squamish-Lillooet Regional District.

Patricia Heintzman
Board Chair, Squamish-Lillooet Regional District