



PROCLAMATION

“DAY OF THE HONEY BEE”

WHEREAS the honey bee has, through its role as a pollinator, been an important part of our agricultural efforts since ancient times; and

WHEREAS the honey bee plays an essential role in the success of agricultural enterprise in British Columbia; and

WHEREAS the honey bee has been under serious threat due to diseases and environmental conditions that ultimately threaten the future of agriculture in our Province; and

WHEREAS the Government of British Columbia has worked with the agricultural industry to improve production and stabilize that industry; and

WHEREAS it is in the interest of furthering that goal to raise awareness of the role of the honey bee and the plight it faces.

NOW THEREFORE I, Patricia Heintzman, Chair of the Squamish-Lillooet Regional District, hereby proclaim May 29th, 2013 as the fourth annual:

“DAY OF THE HONEY BEE”

in the Squamish-Lillooet Regional District

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Heintzman", written in a cursive style.

Patricia Heintzman
Chair