

## PROCLAMATION

## Celebrating May 2009 as Falun Dafa Month Honouring Truthfulness, Compassion, and Forbearance

Whereas Falun Dafa is an advanced exercise and meditation practice of

mind, body, and spirit based on the principles of Truthfulness,

Compassion and Forbearance; and

Whereas more men and women of Canada are learning the practice and

purifying their hearts, energizing their bodies, and striving to

create virtuous communities; and

Falun Dafa transcends cultural and racial boundaries and Whereas

contributes to the universal dream of a peaceful, tolerant, and

more compassionate society; and

Whereas Falun Dafa practitioners' determination and courage to stand up

for Truthfulness-Compassion-Forbearance while facing severe persecution from the Chinese Communist Party has shown the

world the value of life and the preciousness of human dignity:

Now Therefore I, Phil Kent, Mayor of the City of Duncan do hereby declare May

2009 to be Falun Dafa Month Honouring Truthfulness.

Compassion and Forbearance.

Dated this 14th day of May, 2009