

"CLIMATE ACTION DAY"

- WHEREAS** *Climate change is one of the most serious environmental, economic and social justice threats we face today on the planet;*
- AND WHEREAS** *World leaders are meeting in Copenhagen Denmark on December 5th, 2009 to agree on a treaty to reduce the emissions that cause climate change;*
- AND WHEREAS** *Visible expressions of public support are essential to enable our political leaders to take bold action and reach agreement in Copenhagen;*
- AND WHEREAS** *The City of Vancouver has endorsed the Greenest City Action Team "Quick Start Recommendation" to be a strong national voice on taking action to stop climate change;*
- AND WHEREAS** *October 24th has been declared the International Day of Climate Action, and a major event (Bridge to a Cool Planet) is planned with the City of Vancouver's support on the Cambie Bridge as part of that day;*
- NOW, THEREFORE,** *I, Gregor Robertson, Mayor of the City of Vancouver, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM Saturday, October 24th, 2009 as*

"CLIMATE ACTION DAY"

in the City of Vancouver.

Gregor Robertson
MAYOR