

CITY OF WINNIPEG



CANADA

Proclamation

WHEREAS experts in the subject of pollution control recognize that international laws are required to combat the dangers to all peoples of the world exposed to the hazards of pollution and each nation of the world has to enact and advance the laws required within their own countries to correct the abuses of the environment created by industrialization, increased population and the new technology;

AND WHEREAS we urge Canada to give strong support to the United Nations in their endeavour to establish world-wide agencies for the tackling of the pollution problem at the international level and that we support the action of the Canadian government in establishing an environment department under the authority of a cabinet minister and we recommend that the government proceed with the setting up of a national environmental council, such a council to be composed of representatives of farmers, labour, industry and other interested groups with instructions to study and report with recommendations for actions to curb pollution;

AND WHEREAS that we express our support to the number of bills presently before Parliament recommending action on the subject of pollution;

AND WHEREAS The Canadian Labour Congress has declared February as Citizenship Month and the theme is our environment, Winnipeg is setting aside the week of February 8th to 15th as Anti-Pollution Week and The Winnipeg District Labour Council, the Manitoba Federation of Labour in conjunction with the Canadian Labour Congress are working together on this theme;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Stephen Juba, Mayor of the City of Winnipeg, in the Province of Manitoba, do hereby Proclaim the week of February 7th to 13th as:

ANTI-POLLUTION WEEK

DATED at Winnipeg this 3rd day of February, 1971.



"GOD SAVE THE QUEEN"

Mayor
STEPHEN JUBA