City of Salmon Arm - Inclusivity statement

The City of Salmon Arm joins the community in recognizing the importance of building an inclusive community where everyone is accepted, respected, free from violence and fear, and able to thrive, regardless of race, colour, cultural background, religion, age, sex, gender identity, sexual/affectional orientation, or level of ability.

There has never been, nor will there ever be a place for racism, discrimination, or hatred in our community. We stand in unity with Indigenous Peoples and Nations, with the Black Lives Matter movement, and with other communities in calling for an end to racism and other forms of violence.

We are supportive, deeply grateful, and committed to best practices and continuous improvement of our many agencies who support and safeguard our most vulnerable community members.

The only way through what has been a difficult, challenging and community rallying time, is together. We recognize the role each of us play in building an inclusive community and thank you for helping us to do all we can to make Salmon Arm a safe and inclusive place to live. Be kind always.

In friendship, appreciation and community, thank you.

Mayor & Council