



**National
Multiple Births
Awareness Day!**
May 28th



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Dear Mayor and Council:

May 28th, 2007 marks the third year Canada's multiple-birth community unites to celebrate National Multiple Births Awareness Day. These coast-to-coast events hosted by local Chapters and other multiple-birth groups provide a venue for all families to reflect and gain a better understanding of the joys and challenges of having multiples, or of being born as a co-multiple, be it twins, triplets, quadruplets or more.

Our theme this year is "*Raising awareness of the need to recognize and encourage the individuality of multiple-birth individuals, while respecting the uniqueness of their multiple-birth relationship.*" Our goal is to provide opportunities for multiple-birth individuals to publicly express how it feels to be multiple-birth individual while simultaneously being a twin, triplet, quadruplet or quintuplet, and for others to listen and see the world the way they see it.

Once again, this year, we are requesting that municipal leaders support our initiative and your local multiple-birth community by officially proclaiming May 28th National Multiple Births Awareness Day in your municipality.

For more information on our celebration and/or on this year's theme, we invite you to visit www.multiplebirthscanada.org or call 1-866-228-8824.

National Multiple Births Awareness Day is coordinated nationally by Multiple Births Canada with a mission *to improve the quality of life for multiple-birth individuals and their families in Canada.*

Respectfully submitted,

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