

# Proclamation



The Corporation of The Town of Amherstburg

## *Restorative Justice Week*

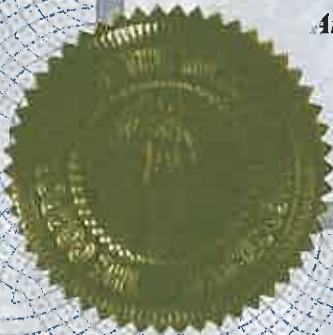
*November 18-25, 2012*

*WHEREAS in the face of crime or conflict, restorative justice offers a philosophy and approach that views these matters principally as harm done to people and relationships; and*

*WHEREAS restorative justice approaches strive to provide support and opportunities for the voluntary participation and communication between those affected by crime and conflict (victims, offenders, community) to encourage accountability, reparation and a movement towards understanding, feelings of satisfaction, healing and a sense of closure; and*

*WHEREAS this year's theme for Restorative Justice Week is "Diverse Needs; Unique Responses", it is an opportunity to learn about restorative justice, educate and celebrate along with other communities across the country during the week.*

*THEREFORE I Mayor Wayne Hurst do hereby proclaim November 18 -November 25, 2012 as Restorative Justice Week in the Town of Amherstburg.*



*Wayne Hurst*

Wayne Hurst, Mayor