



May 21, 2020

Mayor and Council,

We would like to request that the Fitzsimmons Creek Bridge be lite in blue for World Scleroderma Day.

On June 29th, 1940, world-renowned Swiss-German artist Paul Klee died of System Scleroderma. Scleroderma is a rare chronic autoimmune connective tissue disorder in which the body's immune system attacks its own tissue. There is an estimated one in 2,500 Canadians living with Scleroderma. There is still no known cause or cure and for many, it is a life-threatening disease. In honour of Paul Klee, June 29th is recognized as "International Scleroderma Awareness Day". This is something that is celebrated every year. Although this is the first time, this year, we are hoping to include landmarks in BC. Previously we have had several locations lit in blue on June 29th across Canada including Niagara Fall, CN Tower, Toronto and Hamilton signs, Calgary Tower, High Level Bridge in Edmonton, London City Hall etc. Several of those locations have already been confirmed for this year.

We have Scleroderma Organizations in every province in Canada and when I was speaking with the Scleroderma Association of BC this morning, they thought it was a great idea to include landmarks across BC.

We will be posting the landmark lighting schedule on our social media avenues as well as on our website. We are hoping to get as many pictures of all the landmarks across Canada lit in blue to celebrate this very important day.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

Thank you for your consideration and I'm looking forward to hearing back from you.

Thanks,

Pauline Brousseau
Scleroderma Canada



Landmark Lighting Request Form

Please complete the form and scan/email to corporate@whistler.ca along with your cover letter addressed "To Mayor and Council" with information regarding your campaign or cause.

We will contact you to confirm the status of your request.

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Brief description of the event associated with your request - 75 words or less <i>(Information here will be used for communications and the sign on the bridge. RMOW will edit copy if necessary.)</i>	On June 29th, 1940, world-renowned Swiss-German artist Paul Klee dies of System Scleroderma. Scleroderma is a rare chronic autoimmune connective tissue disorder. There is an estimated one in 2,500 Canadians living with Scleroderma. There is still no know cause or cure and for many, it is a life-threatening disease. In honour of Paul Klee, June 29th is recognized as "International Scleroderma Awareness Day". We are lighting landmarks across Canada in blue for this very important day.
Optional: Social Media Campaign Title (include hashtags)	
Landmark Choice	<input type="checkbox"/> Fitzsimmons Covered Bridge
Date of Event	June 29, 2020
Colour Request	Blue

Signature: Pauline Brousseau

Date: May 21, 2020

This application does not guarantee that your event lighting request will be approved or your date is available.