



## **PROCLAMATION**

The *Will to Intervene* project was founded in 2007 in order to raise awareness in the United States and Canada about the crucial importance of genocide prevention. The project's fundamental goal is to identify strategic and practical steps to prevent future genocides.

Whereas:

Mass atrocities often create conditions that produce concrete

threats from terrorism, piracy and other forms of lawlessness

on land and sea;

Whereas:

Canada and its Armed Forces have a long and proud tradition

of participation in international efforts to restore peace and end conflict that must be sustained and updated in the face of

new and unprecedented risks of mass atrocities;

Whereas:

Every person has the right to live in conditions of dignity,

respect and peace.

On behalf of City Council and the citizens of Calgary, I hereby proclaim Friday, May 27, 2011 as:

"WILL TO INTERVENE DAY"

Naheed K. Nenshi

MAYOR

