

Township of  
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### **BRENDA ALBERTS WAY DEDICATED**

A dedicated volunteer, active community member, and business woman who touched the lives of many was commemorated on Friday, December 2 when a portion of 96 Avenue in Fort Langley was officially dedicated Brenda Alberts Way.

“Passionate and committed, Brenda cared about the arts, about history and sports, and she truly cared about people,” said Township of Langley Mayor Jack Froese, who joined members of Township of Langley Council and the Alberts family in holding the dedication ceremony.

Brenda, wife of former Township Mayor Kurt Alberts, passed away in the summer, and the portion of 96th Avenue between Billy Brown Road and Glover Road is now officially dedicated in her name to recognize all that she contributed to the community civically, culturally, and personally.

“This is a wonderful way for Brenda’s memory to live on and remind our residents of what she meant to all of us and to the community,” Froese said.

One of the founding organizers of Fort Langley’s Remembrance Day ceremonies, Brenda was a great supporter of the Relay for Life, Langley Christmas Bureau, Langley Hospice, the Canadian Museum of Flight, and Willoughby Community Hall.

She was also dedicated to promoting local artists and owned the Birthplace of BC Gallery. Margo Harrison, one of the artists featured in Gallery, paid tribute to Brenda on Friday and a presentation was made by the Bedford Rowing Society, which has named a boat in her honour.

Commemorative street signs have been placed at the intersections along Brenda Alberts Way.