



PROCLAMATION

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Whereas Lab professionals are essential to both individual and public health. They analyze samples, identify illnesses, track pathogens, and support screening and outbreak detection—work that leads to timely diagnoses and better patient outcomes.; and

Whereas The MLPAO’s 2026 campaign, “The Day Tests Stopped,” underscores a simple truth: without lab professionals, there are no answers. Delayed diagnoses and stalled treatments show just how vital their expertise is.

Therefore I, Marianne Meed Ward, Mayor of the City of Burlington do hereby proclaim **April 12th – 18th, 2026** as

“Medical Laboratory Week”

in the City of Burlington and do commend its thoughtful observance to all citizens of our municipality.

Mayor Marianne Meed Ward

Dated this 26th day of March 2026

