



PROCLAMATION

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

Whereas Jewish Heritage Month provides an opportunity to recognize and celebrate the history, culture, and traditions of Jewish communities in Canada, and;

Whereas Jewish communities have made and continue to make significant contributions to the economic, social, cultural and civic life of the City of Burlington, and;

Whereas the City of Burlington acknowledges the ongoing presence of antisemitism affecting Jewish individuals, schools, synagogues and community institutions and Burlington City Council condemns antisemitism, and all forms of hate, discrimination and violence, and;

Whereas the City of Burlington remains committed to fostering an inclusive city where all residents feel a sense of belonging.

Therefore I, Marianne Meed Ward, Mayor of the City of Burlington, do hereby proclaim **May 2026** as

“Jewish Heritage Month”

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

Mayor Marianne Meed Ward

Dated this 12th day of May 2026

