



PROCLAMATION

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

Whereas Ontario's Municipalities are encouraged by the Province to preserve, promote and commemorate heritage in all of its forms including its Built, Cultural and Natural Heritage, and through the support of heritage conservation projects, as undertaken by public and private agencies, organizations and individuals; and

Whereas these public and private agencies, organizations and individuals, many who are volunteers, have been involved in extensive programs to educate and promote heritage activities in the municipalities; and

Whereas the Heritage Week Subcommittee, in conjunction with the Heritage Burlington Advisory Committee, and many other partners have developed a week of wonderful events and activities to highlight and recognize each group's or person's participation to educate, promote and celebrate Burlington's heritages; and

Whereas Heritage Week is an opportunity for communities, residents and visitors to reflect on these contributions to Burlington and the Province on how heritage is protected, promoted and commemorated and how we wish to envision and shape the future by supporting our past; and

Whereas This council deems it necessary to recognize the dedication and commitment of all of the heritage organizations and volunteers in Burlington who continue to work so diligently to protect this community's and Ontario's irreplaceable heritage.

Therefore I, Marianne Meed Ward, Mayor of the City of Burlington, do hereby proclaim **August 1st to 9th, 2026** as:

“Burlington Heritage Week”

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



Mayor Marianne Meed Ward

Dated this 23rd day of June 2026

