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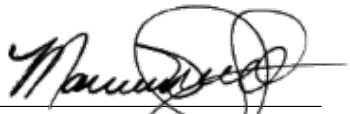
PROCLAMATION

- Whereas** lung cancer is one of the most commonly diagnosed cancers in Canada and continues to have a significant impact on individuals, families, caregivers, and communities; and
- Whereas** lung cancer can affect anyone, regardless of age, background, or smoking history, and greater awareness is essential to reducing stigma and ensuring that all people affected by lung cancer receive compassion, understanding, and support; and
- Whereas** advances in screening, biomarker testing, treatment, research, and supportive care are improving outcomes and providing new hope for people diagnosed with lung cancer; and
- Whereas** early detection can play an important role in improving lung cancer outcomes, making continued education about risk factors, symptoms, and access to appropriate screening and care essential; and
- Whereas** Lung Cancer Awareness Month provides an opportunity to recognize people living with lung cancer, honour those we have lost, support their families and caregivers, and acknowledge the healthcare professionals, researchers, advocates, and organizations working to improve lung cancer care and outcomes; and
- Whereas** raising awareness and encouraging open, stigma-free conversations about lung cancer can help ensure that everyone affected by this disease feels seen, supported, and empowered to seek the care they need; and
- Therefore I**, Marianne Meed Ward, Mayor of the City of Burlington do hereby proclaim November 2026 as

“Lung Cancer Awareness Month”

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

Dated this 12th day of August 12, 2026


Mayor Marianne Meed Ward



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