

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the Burlington Bike Path was one of the first in New England; completed in 1986, the path continues to be an integral part of the community; and

WHEREAS, the Bike Path connects six major parks on the Lake Champlain shoreline throughout the entire City; and

WHEREAS, our use of the Bike Path promotes health and wellness, an alternative means of transportation for residents, and an "only in Burlington" experience showcasing Lake Champlain and the City of Burlington; and

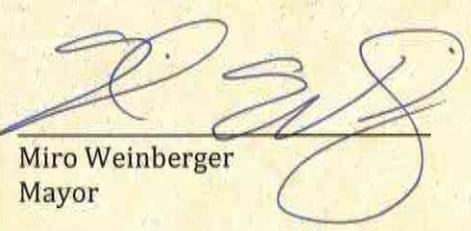
WHEREAS, community leaders, residents, and local businesses have committed to supporting the 7.5 mile path by raising awareness and essential funding to restoring and maintaining the Burlington Bike Path for residents and visitors; and

WHEREAS, Hilton Burlington continues its support of the Burlington Bike Path restoration initiative and enhances the cyclist's experience by offering bicycle-friendly amenities at the newly-opened Mounted Cat;

NOW THEREFORE, I, Miro Weinberger, Mayor of the City of Burlington, do hereby proclaim June 19, 2014, to be

HILTON BURLINGTON BIKE PATH DAY

in the City of Burlington and **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that I commend Hilton Burlington for their coordination in this important effort to raise awareness for the crown jewel of our community, the Burlington Bike Path.


Miro Weinberger
Mayor

