

Bike to Work Week June 3 - 7, 2002

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WHEREAS Cycling is an inexpensive and healthy way to commute; and

WHEREAS Cycling on a global basis is a legitimately recognized form of transportation; and

WHEREAS HRM is a member of the Federation of Canadian Municipalities "Partners for Climate Protection" program; and

WHEREAS Two hundred million dollars annually, is spent on vehicle related health care costs in Nova Scotia; and

WHEREAS When you cycle, instead of driving, you help to reduce health care costs and reduce green house gas emissions,

THEREFORE, I, Peter J. Kelly, Mayor of the Halifax Regional Municipality, do hereby proclaim the week of June 3 - 7 as **BIKE TO WORK WEEK** in the Halifax Regional Municipality.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia this 24th day of May, 2002

Peter J. Kelly Mayor