

# **Proclamation**

## **HRM Bike Week**

**May 28 - June 6, 2010**

**WHEREAS** Bicycling is recognized as a fun, healthy, and non-polluting way to get around the Halifax Regional Municipality;

**WHEREAS** HRM encourages active forms of transportation through its Active Transportation Plan, and cycling supports the goals of the HRM Physical Activity Strategy and the HRM Regional Plan;

**WHEREAS** During HRM Bike Week dozens of events are held throughout the municipality, hosted by HRM staff as well as local community groups and individuals, to encourage more residents to ride their bicycles for transportation, recreation, and fitness;

**WHEREAS** Many of the events are intended to increase awareness about safe cycling practices, sharing the road, and becoming a sustainable city;

**NOW THEREFORE**, I, Mayor Peter J. Kelly, on behalf of Halifax Regional Council, do hereby proclaim May 28 - June 6, 2008 as "HRM Bike Week" to promote, encourage, and support cycling in our community.

*Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia  
this 25th day of May 2010.*

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Peter J. Kelly  
Mayor