## Proclamation

WHEREAS, there exists one humanity on this planet, and all life is interconnected and interdependent; and

WHEREAS, all people share in the universal bond of love, and love begins with self-acceptance and forgiveness; and

WHEREAS, with respect and compassion, communities embrace diversity and make a difference through love; and

WHEREAS, Hillsborough County is home to a rich cultural tapestry and has a strong sense of community founded upon the principal of mutual love and respect for one's neighbor; and

WHEREAS, further tightening the bonds between people in this community serves the happiness and well-being of all residents; and

WHEREAS, building upon the unity and harmony cultivated over generations ensures Hillsborough County remains a caring, inviting place where visitors feel welcome, and this improves the prosperity of all; and

WHEREAS, The Love Foundation, Incorporated, a nonprofit organization, has announced Global Love Day to facilitate love and peace in local neighborhoods and around the world; and

WHEREAS, Global Love Day will generate local and worldwide focus to encourage each person to unconditionally love each other,

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED** that the Board of County Commissioners of Hillsborough County, Florida does hereby declare May 1, 2015 as

## Global Love Day

in Hillsborough County, and invites all residents to observe this day of forgiveness and unconditional love, which will act as a model for all to follow each and every day.

Executed this 1st day of May, 2015





