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WHEREAS, the **Pittsburgh Vintage Grand Prix** is committed to producing a world-class vintage racing event in order to raise funds to provide residential care, treatment and support for developmentally disabled individuals in the Pittsburgh region; and,

WHEREAS, the **Pittsburgh Vintage Grand Prix**, attended by over 250,000 people during a 10 day schedule of vintage sports car racing and motorsports activities, holds the dual distinction of America's largest vintage race event and the only one that's raced on city streets; and,

WHEREAS, the funds raised by this event benefit developmentally disabled individuals at the Autism Society of Pittsburgh and the Allegheny Valley School and have totaled an incredible \$3.2 million dollars since its inception in 1983; and,

WHEREAS, this year's 32nd **Annual Pittsburgh Vintage Grand Prix**, presented by Shop n' Save and synonymous with Schenley Park, will feature 10 days of motorsports events including a Kick Off Rallye, a Blacktie Gala, Historics at Pitt-Race Complex, Car Shows and Cruises in Shadyside, Homestead and Downtown, a Tune up at Atria's, a Countryside Tour, a Hard Rock Concert and, of course, Race Day; and,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh does hereby commend the **Vintage Grand Prix** for providing the public free of charge with ten days of excitement, top vintage cars for public viewing, and for pursuing their philanthropic duty as a fundraiser for the Autism Society of Pittsburgh and Allegheny Valley School for 32 successful years; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh declares Friday, July 20, 2014, to be "**Pittsburgh Vintage Grand Prix Day**" in the City of Pittsburgh.