



## PROCLAMATION

## Declaring May 15, 2017, as Peace Officers' Memorial Day and May 14-20, 2017, as Police Week in the City of Marysville

- WHEREAS, the Congress and President of the United States have designated May 15 as Peace Officers' Memorial Day, and the week in which May 15 falls as National Police Week; and
- WHEREAS, the officers of the City of Marysville Police Department embody the idea of citizenship, and that our rights come with responsibilities to ourselves and to others; and
- WHEREAS, the Marysville Police Department plays an essential role in safeguarding the rights and freedoms of the City of Marysville; and
- WHEREAS, it is important that all citizens know and understand the duties, responsibilities, hazards, and extraordinary sacrifices of their law enforcement agency, and that members of our law enforcement agency recognize their duty to serve the people by safeguarding life and property, protecting them against violence and disorder, and protecting the innocent against deception and the weak against oppression; and
- WHEREAS, the men and women of the City of Marysville Police Department selflessly provide a integral public service and do so with a commitment to honor, courage, professionalism and integrity.

NOW, THEREFORE I, KAMILLE NORTON, PRESIDENT OF THE MARYSVILLE CITY COUNCIL, on behalf of the City Council and our community, do hereby proclaim May 15, 2017, as

## PEACE OFFICERS' MEMORIAL DAY

and further proclaim May 14-20, 2017, as

## POLICE WEEK

in the City of Marysville. I call upon citizens of Marysville to observe Monday, May 15, as Peace Officers' Memorial Day in honor of those law enforcement officers who, through their courageous deeds, have made the ultimate sacrifice in service to their community or who have become disabled in the performance of duty. Let each of us reflect on the ways in which our lives have been touched by the peace officers who stand guard over our community and neighborhoods.

Under my hand and seal this eighth day of May, 2017.

THE CITY OF MARYSVILLE

Kamille Norton, City Council President