

MAYORAL PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Public employees take not only jobs, but oaths; and

WHEREAS, Many public servants, including military personnel, police officers, firefighters, border patrol officers, embassy employees, health care professionals and others, risk their lives each day in service to the people of the United States and around the world; and

WHEREAS, Public servants include teachers, doctors, scientists, train conductors, astronauts, nurses, safety inspectors, laborers, computer technicians, social workers and countless other occupations. Day in and day out they provide the diverse services demanded by the American people of their government with efficiency and integrity; and

WHEREAS, Without these public servants at every level, continuity would be impossible in a democracy that regularly changes its leaders and elected officials.

NOW THEREFORE, DO I, Kelli Linville, Mayor of the City of Bellingham, proclaim May 5-11, 2019, to be

PUBLIC SERVICE RECOGNITION WEEK

in the City of Bellingham, Washington and encourage all citizens to recognize the accomplishments and contributions of government employees at all levels – federal, state, county and city.



Signed this 1st day of May, 2019

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Kelli Linville, Mayor City of Bellingham