

Proclamation

***Recognizing the week of November 17-23, 2024
as Police and Fire Appreciation Week***



WHEREAS, the professionals of the Monroe Police Department and Snohomish Regional Fire & Rescue are devoted public servants who ensure that Monroe, Washington is a safe place to live, work and play; and

WHEREAS, our police, fire, and emergency medical first responders risk their lives for the lives of others and are supported by administration, dispatch, and other personnel in their missions; and

WHEREAS, for the past 24 years, the Monroe community has shown its appreciation to Monroe Police Department and Snohomish Regional Fire & Rescue through school events and other community building activities; and

WHEREAS, during the Police and Fire Appreciation Week, Monroe businesses display "Thank You" posters, include messages on their reader board signs, and post positive messages on their social media sites; and

WHEREAS, our first responders receive many thank you cards and signs from students, residents, businesses, and other organizations.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Geoffrey Thomas, do hereby issue this proclamation as an expression of appreciation, and a symbol of gratitude for the exceptional quality of public service provided by our police officers and personnel and firefighters and fire service personnel as they continue to dedicate themselves to keeping our residents, employers, and visitors safe; and proclaim the week of the 17th to the 23rd of November 2024, as

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in the City of Monroe, and encourage our community to express their appreciation for our Police and Fire personnel.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Geoffrey Thomas", is written over a horizontal line.

Geoffrey Thomas, Mayor