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Council Members Lawrenson, Onyon, Olson, Hawkins, Steward, Davidson, and Rule,

The World Day of Remembrance is a United Nations-affiliated, worldwide event to honor family members, friends, and neighbors who have died in traffic accidents, as well as to thank the first responders who provide aid and comfort at vehicle crash sites. The Washington Traffic Safety Commission and Bellingham Police are hosting a World Day of Remembrance event for Whatcom County on Thursday, November 15<sup>th</sup> at Bellingham City Hall, 210 Lottie Street, Bellingham. The event will include speakers from Bellingham Police, Whatcom County Sheriff's Office, Bellingham Fire Department, as well as a member of a local family who lost a loved one in a traffic accident. The event will conclude with a short procession near city hall to honor the 25 individuals who have been killed in vehicle crashes in Whatcom County during the past year. Officers and deputies will also be sent out to conduct an emphasis patrol to intervene in dangerous driving behaviors at the conclusion of the event.

We are cordially inviting you to attend this World Day of Remembrance event next week. We have attached the event flyer to this email.

Thank you for your consideration,

Claudia Murphy (BPD) and Doug Dahl (Washington Traffic Safety Commission)

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# **WORLD DAY OF REMEMBRANCE FOR ROAD TRAFFIC VICTIMS**

Thursday, November 15th  
Bellingham City Hall  
210 Lottie Street  
5:00 pm

5:00 Gather at City Hall  
5:10 Speakers  
5:35 Walk of Remembrance

Please join us for a time of remembrance to honor our loved ones who have died on Whatcom County roads.