

# BUSINESS OF THE CITY COUNCIL CITY OF SNOQUALMIE

AB23-060 May 8, 2023 Proclamation

### **AGENDA BILL INFORMATION**

| TITLE:           | AB23-060: National Police Week, Proclamation No. 23-07 |                   | ☐ Discussion Only |
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|                  |  |                   | □ Action Needed:  |
| RECOMMENDED      | Mayor proclaims May 11-17, 2022, as National Police    |                   | $\square$ Motion  |
| ACTION:          | Week in the City of Snoqualmie.                        |                   | ☐ Ordinance       |
|                  |  |                   | ☐ Resolution      |
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| DEPARTMENT:      | Mayor  |                   |                   |
| STAFF:           | City Clerk   |                   |                   |
| COMMITTEE:       | n/a  | Meeting Date: n/a |                   |
| COUNCIL LIAISON: | n/a  |                   |                   |
| EXHIBITS:        | 1. Proclamation No. 23-07                              |                   |                   |

## **SUMMARY**

#### **SUMMARY STATEMENT**

This agenda bill recognizes National Police Week 2023 and honors the service and sacrifice of those law enforcement officers killed in the line of duty while protecting our communities and safeguarding our democracy.

#### **BACKGROUND**

In 1962, President Kennedy proclaimed May 15 as National Peace Officers Memorial Day and the calendar week in which May 15 falls, as National Police Week. Established by a joint resolution of Congress in 1962, National Police Week pays special recognition to those law enforcement officers who have lost their lives in the line of duty for the safety and protection of others.

National Police Week occurs every May, and in 2023 it will be commemorated with live, in-person events. National Police Week will be observed from May 14–20. The National Law Enforcement Memorial and Museum will hold ceremonies, including the 35th Annual Candlelight Vigil, to honor the fallen officers whose names have recently been added to the Memorial.

## **RECOMMENDED ACTION**

Mayor Ross proclaims May 14-20, 2023, as National Police Week in the City of Snoqualmie.