



# City of Bellevue | Proclamation

**Whereas:** Americans are assisted every day by public servants at the federal, state, county and city levels; and

**Whereas:** Normally doing their jobs behind the scenes, these employees strive to perform their tasks with efficiency, excellence and integrity; and

**Whereas:** Bellevue's public servants – 1,500 staff across 13 departments – are recognized as an invaluable resource, helping countless residents thrive on a daily basis across our increasingly diverse community; and

**Whereas:** Many public servants, including military personnel, police officers, firefighters and health care professionals, risk their lives daily doing their jobs; and

**Whereas:** Public service is a noble calling involving a variety of challenging and rewarding professions – from teachers to road crews, firefighters and police to astronauts; and

**Whereas:** We benefit daily from the knowledge and skills of the highly trained individuals who work in our government.

**Now, therefore,** I, Lynne Robinson, Mayor of the City of Bellevue, Washington, and on behalf of its City Council, do hereby proclaim the week of **May 1-7, 2022**, as:

## **PUBLIC SERVICE RECOGNITION WEEK**

in Bellevue and urge all citizens to reflect on the contributions of public employees who carry out the missions of our various branches of government.

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Lynne Robinson, Mayor  
City of Bellevue