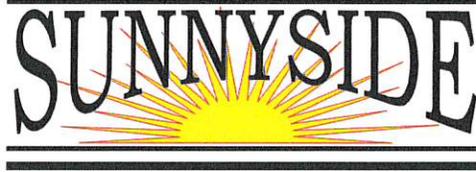


City of Sunnyside, Washington



Proclamation

WHEREAS, eighteen years ago, more than 3,000 innocent victims lost their lives when a calm September morning was shattered by terrorists driven by hatred and destruction; and,

WHEREAS, we wish to honor and pay tribute to all who were affected by this tragic event; including the men and women of law enforcement, fire and emergency services who so gallantly dedicate their lives to protect our society; and,

WHEREAS, on October 25, 2001 the United States Congress passed Joint Resolution 71 by a vote of 407-0, directing the President to designate September 11 of each year as "Patriot Day"; and,

WHEREAS, on this the eighteenth anniversary of September 11, 2001 we join with President Donald Trump and Governor Jay Inslee and the entire nation in remembering and honoring the memory of those who as President George W. Bush said in his first Patriot Day proclamation, "...will forever hold a cherished place in our hearts and in the history of our Nation."

*NOW THEREFORE, I, Julia Hart, Mayor of the City of Sunnyside, Washington, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the laws of the State of Washington and on behalf of the Sunnyside City Council do hereby proclaim, Wednesday, September 11, 2019 as **Patriot Day** in the City of Sunnyside.*

I direct the City Manager to lower the flags of the United States and Washington State at all city facilities pursuant to Sunnyside Municipal Code (SMC) 1.14.030 and that the flag remain at half-staff until close of business or sunset on September 11, 2019.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I HAVE HEREUNTO SET MY HAND AND CAUSED THE SEAL OF THE CITY OF SUNNYSIDE TO BE AFFIXED. DONE AT SUNNYSIDE THIS 9TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD TWO THOUSAND AND NINETEEN.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Julia Hart", written over a horizontal line.

JULIA HART
MAYOR OF SUNNYSIDE