

**CITY OF STANWOOD  
Stanwood Washington**

**RESOLUTION 2021-01**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF STANWOOD, WASHINGTON, SUPPORTS DEDICATING HIGHWAY 532 BETWEEN PIONEER HIGHWAY AND 72<sup>ND</sup> MEMORIALIZING THOSE THAT LOST THEIR LIVES 9-11-2001 AND COMMEMORATE THOSE THAT CONTINUE TO SERVE AND PROTECT OUR COMMUNITY FROM ENEMIES FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC**

**WHEREAS**, Stanwood functions as the town center for a diverse rural, suburban and urban population with many public servants, active and retired military that serve or served our community and nation, partnering with North County Regional Fire Authority for fire and EMS services;

**WHEREAS**, annually, on September 11, North County Regional Fire Authority recognized the people who lost their lives on 9-11-2001 with an annual commemorative event by lining this section of the highway with United States of America flags, with positive support from community members and visitors passing through Stanwood;

**WHEREAS**, September 11 has been recognized as "Patriot's Day," nationally, upon order of the President with direction that the flag of the United States of America should be displayed on the homes of Americans, the White House, and all United States government buildings in the whole world. The flag should be flown at half-staff as a mark of respect to those who died on September 11, 2001. Many people observe a moment of silence at 8:46 AM (Eastern Daylight Time) when the first plane struck the World Trade Center;

**WHEREAS**, "Patriot's Day" is not a federal holiday and schools and businesses do not close, people commuting through or visiting the City of Stanwood observe the care and empathy our community places on those that serve our country and community each time they observe the dedicated highway signage;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF STANWOOD, WASHINGTON, AS FOLLOWS:**

This resolution supports the renaming and dedication of Highway 532 between Pioneer Highway and 72<sup>nd</sup> Avenue, Stanwood, Washington, memorializing those that lost their lives on 9-11-2001 and commemorating those that continue to serve and protect our community from enemies, foreign and domestic.

**ADOPTED** by the City Council and **APPROVED** by the Mayor this 14<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2021.

CITY OF STANWOOD

By *Elizabeth Callaghan*  
Elizabeth Callaghan (Jan 15, 2021 08:05 PST)  
Elizabeth Callaghan, Mayor

ATTEST:

By *Sara Robinson*  
Sara Robinson, City Clerk

Approved as to form:

By: *Brett C Vinson*  
Brett C Vinson (Jan 15, 2021 08:49 PST)  
Brett Vinson, City Attorney