



**SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL**  
**Snohomish County, Washington**

**RESOLUTION NO. 22-065**

**RECOGNIZING NOVEMBER 5, 2022, AS CAPTAIN ROBERT DELVECCHIO DAY  
IN SNOHOMISH COUNTY**

**WHEREAS**, Captain Robert Delvecchio joined the City of Bothell Fire Department at the age of sixteen in 1968; and

**WHEREAS**, Captain Delvecchio honorably served the residents of the City of Bothell until 1994, rising to the rank of Captain; and

**WHEREAS**, after serving the City of Bothell for 26 years, Captain Delvecchio went on to serve the residents of the Sky Valley for 28 years, from 1994 until his end of watch on October 13, 2022, for a total of 54 years in the Fire Service; and

**WHEREAS**, Captain Delvecchio also served the public by maintaining the facilities of the Northshore School District as well as keeping the highway clear driving a snow plow for the Washington State Department of Transportation; and

**WHEREAS**, for the last 13 years Captain Delvecchio bravely battled a rare form of cancer contracted mainly by firefighters, during which he continued responding to calls for emergencies and helping in times of need; and

**WHEREAS**, Captain Delvecchio, known to his fellow firefighters and throughout the community as Captain Bob, mentored and inspired generations of young firefighters, maintaining a regular presence around the firehouse table for morning coffee, discussing department business, and offering nuggets of knowledge to the very end; and

**WHEREAS**, Captain Delvecchio's final alarm came during the Bolt Creek Fire, where he assisted with logistics for the firefighters on the line; and

**WHEREAS**, Captain Delvecchio will be dearly missed by his family, fellow firefighters, and the Sky Valley community for his thoughtfulness, leadership, and humility both in and out of the uniform;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, Snohomish County Council does hereby recognize November 5, 2022, as Captain Robert Delvecchio Day in Snohomish County. It is with immense appreciation and profound gratitude that Snohomish County recognizes and thanks Captain Delvecchio for 54 years of exemplary public service to the residents of Snohomish County.

**APPROVED this 8<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2022.**

**Megan Dunn**  
Council Chair

**Jared Mead**  
Council Vice-Chair

**Sam Low**  
Councilmember

**Nate Nehring**  
Councilmember

**Strom Peterson**  
Councilmember

ATTEST:

**Debbie Eco, CMC**  
Clerk of the Council