

September 11 Recognition
Board of Clark County Commissioners
Sept. 9, 2014

We would like to take a moment to recognize the 13th anniversary Thursday of the September 11 attacks on our country.

The destruction of the World Trade Center towers and loss of four airliners and their crews and passengers resulted in the deaths of more people on American soil in any one day since the close of the Civil War.

Nearly 3,000 innocent victims from 70 countries perished that day, including 411 first responders.

In honor of all those who lost their lives, the Board of County Commissioners encourages residents of Clark County to participate in one of several local observances planned Thursday. For example,

- The city of Vancouver will hold a Patriot Day ceremony at 12:10 p.m. in front of City Hall.
- East County Fire and Rescue will hold a benefit spaghetti dinner at Station 91 next to Grove Field in Camas at 5:30 p.m. and a commemoration ceremony at 7:30 p.m.
- Clark County Fire District 3 will hold a flag-filled ceremony at 7 a.m. at Station 31 on 159th Street.
- And Camas-Washougal Fire Department will host an 8 a.m. ceremony at City Hall and breakfast at the Camas Library.

9/11 was a defining moment in the history of the United States. We hope friends, families and communities will gather in support of one another and the United States.

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