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SUFFOLK POLICE DEPARTMENT TO HOLD LAW ENFORCEMENT MEMORIAL SERVICE

SUFFOLK, Virginia (May 11, 2022) Please join the Suffolk Police Department for their Law Enforcement Memorial Service on Wednesday, May 18, 2022, at 11:00 a.m. at Suffolk City Hall, City Council Chamber, 442 West Washington Street.

In 1962, President John F. Kennedy signed a proclamation designating May 15th as Peace Officers Memorial Day and the week in which that date falls as *Police Week*. In previous years, tens of thousands of law enforcement officers from around the world would converge on Washington, DC to participate in a number of planned events which honored those that have paid the ultimate sacrifice.

The event is open to the public. We welcome you to take time to honor the men and women, both locally and nationwide, who have sacrificed their lives in the preservation of peace and order.

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