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**TO:** All State Agencies

**FROM:** Christine O. Gregoire

Governor

**SUBJECT:** Lowering of the Washington State and United States Flags

I am deeply saddened with the loss of Ranger Margaret Anderson who died in the line of duty January 1 at Mt. Rainier National Park and direct that Washington State and United States flags at all state agency facilities be lowered to half-staff <u>Tuesday</u>, <u>January 10</u>, <u>2012</u>, in her memory.

## Please notify your staff and all of your field offices and facilities around the state.

Flags should remain at half-staff until close of business Tuesday, or first thing Wednesday morning, January 11.

Other government entities, citizens and businesses are encouraged to join this recognition.

Please call (360) 902-0383 if you have any questions about this flag lowering.