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# News Release

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## Community to dedicate Snoqualmie Valley Veterans' Memorial

**Snoqualmie, WA –** The new Snoqualmie Valley Veterans' Memorial in downtown Snoqualmie will be dedicated this Veterans' Day, Friday, November 11 at 11:11 a.m. The public is encouraged to participate in the dedication and reception.

The Snoqualmie Valley Veterans' Memorial is located downtown Snoqualmie next to the American Legion Hall, Renton-Pickering Post 79, 38625 SE River Street across the street from Snoqualmie City Hall.

For several years, the Snoqualmie Valley Historical Museum, along with the local Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW), the American Legion Renton-Pickering Post 79, and the Tolt Historical Society at Carnation, has worked tirelessly toward building the memorial.

A central monument will be inscribed with the names of those Snoqualmie Valley residents who lost their lives serving in the line of duty in all American wars. It will also honor all American veterans – even those who are not residents of the Snoqualmie Valley – with commemorative bricks provided through donations by community members.

The memorial will feature flags for each of the U.S. military service branches and a legacy tree surrounded by stones representing each of the Snoqualmie Valley communities: The Snoqualmie Indian Tribe, North Bend, Snoqualmie, Fall City, Preston, Carnation, Duvall, and the historic towns of Cedar Falls, Edgewick, and Snoqualmie Falls.

To learn more about the Snoqualmie Valley Veterans' Memorial, read the names of those included on the central monument, view a site drawing, and find out how you can support the memorial through a donation or purchase of a brick to express your patriotism or honor a veteran, visit the Snoqualmie Valley Historical Museum website at www.snoqualmievalleymuseum.org.

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