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Dear Paramedics, Family and Friends;

## Re: Paramedic Memorial Ride 2017

Ready, set, go!!!

This year the Ambulance Paramedics and Emergency Dispatchers of BC will be participating in the first inaugural Paramedic Memorial bike ride. The ride will support the creation of a national paramedic monument for fallen paramedics.

The ride will take place over four days, June 9-12, in the beautiful Okanagan. The ride will start in Osoyoos and finish at Honour Ranch in Kamloops.

Day one: Osoyoos to Kelowna Day two: Kelowna to Vernon Day three: Vernon to Blind Bay Day four: Blind Bay to Kamloops

We're excited to see the ride come to B.C. this spring, but we need your help to make it a success. We will be asking for paramedics, dispatchers, family and friends to register for the four-day ride to raise funds for this important cause. Anyone can register and there are options available to sign up for one, two, three or all four days of the ride. There will also be opportunities for those who want to get involved but can't ride.

You can find more information about the national ride as well as BC specific registration information at <u>www.paramedicride.ca</u>

Please note only the one and four day registrations are currently available on the website, but options for a two or three-day commitment will be available soon.

Please forward any questions to <a href="mailto:lpenarsky@paramedicride.ca">lpenarsky@paramedicride.ca</a>

Sincerely,

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