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Dear Friends,

It is my pleasure to welcome you to today's Festival of Color and wish you a happy Holi. I hope you enjoy a wonderful day at Marymoor Park full of festivity, culture, and community.

This important festival is the largest Holi celebration in the Pacific Northwest and regularly draws thousands to enjoy the festival's colors, music, dancing, and food. I am pleased to have such an important cultural event held in Washington State that draws people from all over the region to celebrate Holi and welcome in the spring season.

This incredible event would not be possible if not for the remarkable contributions made by NorthWest Share, the City of Redmond, the Vedic Cultural Center of Sammamish, and King County's Marymoor Park. Such an event requires significant time and effort to prepare and I appreciate everyone who worked to ensure this valuable celebration continues year after year.

Please accept my best wishes for a wonderful celebration and prosperous spring.

Sincerely,

Maria Cantwell

United States Senator