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Dear Colleague,

Friday 14th June this year will mark two years since the Grenfell Tower fire. The bereaved, survivors and Grenfell community will be marking the day in both a public and private, reflective way on Friday 14th June.

As Minister for Grenfell Victims, I am writing make you aware of some plans developed by representatives of the bereaved, survivors and residents to remember the disaster. I know they would be grateful for the support of MPs across all parties in raising awareness of the opportunity to show solidarity in Parliament and in constituencies across the county.

Parliamentary Event

Grenfell United, on behalf of the bereaved and survivors, are holding an event on Monday 10th June in the State Rooms, Speaker's House from 12.30-2.30pm. They want this as an opportunity to remember the lives lost and also to update MPs on their work for justice and change.

Illumination of Buildings

As in 2018, the Grenfell community have requested that buildings are illuminated in green from the evening of Thursday 13th June as a mark of respect for those who lost their lives. There are no nationally co-ordinated plans for illuminating buildings; however, local authorities are free to mark the commemorations in their area as an expression of support for all those affected.

Green for Grenfell Day

As in 2018, schools and community groups are invited to participate in Green for Grenfell Day, where they come together as a community, wear something green and take part in a local activity or community project to show support for the Grenfell community. This will take place between 14th and 28th June. More information and downloadable information packs, including ideas for activities and assemblies, are available on Grenfell United's website. Details have been circulated directly to Local Authority Education Directors, as well as to academies, from the Department of Education.

Our thoughts will be with the bereaved and survivors two years on and I would appreciate your support in demonstrating the nation's remembrance.

If you require any further information, please don't hesitate to contact me directly or my team at GrenfellCorrespondence@communities.gov.uk

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