

Date of Hearing: May 8, 2017

ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

Jim Frazier, Chair

ACR 49 (Frazier) – As Introduced March 29, 2017

SUBJECT: Police Sergeant Scott Lunger Memorial Highway

SUMMARY: Designates a portion of State Highway Route 4 (SR 4) in Contra Costa County as the “Police Sergeant Scott Lunger Memorial Highway.” Specifically, **this resolution:**

- 1) Recounts the life and accomplishments of Scott Lunger, an officer in the Hayward Police Department.
- 2) Designates the portion of SR 4 between Laurel Road and Balfour Road in Contra Costa County as the “Police Sergeant Scott Lunger Memorial Highway.”
- 3) Requests that the California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) determine the cost of appropriate signs, consistent with the signing requirements for the state highway system, showing the special designation and, upon receiving donations from non-state sources covering that cost, to erect those signs.

EXISTING LAW: Assigns Caltrans the responsibility of operating and maintaining state highways. This includes the installation and maintenance of highway signs.

FISCAL EFFECT: Unknown, but the measure requests that Caltrans only erect the appropriate signage upon receiving donations from non-state sources covering the cost.

COMMENTS: Scott Lunger was a sergeant in the Hayward Police Department, serving in the department for 15 years as a member of various specialty units, including the special duty unit, gang task force, and Special Weapons and Tactics team. Sergeant Lunger was killed during a traffic stop on July 22, 2015, at the age of 48. He is survived by his wife, children, father and stepmother, and siblings. This resolution designating a portion of SR 4 in his honor recognizes the significant role Sergeant Lunger played in his community.

REGISTERED SUPPORT / OPPOSITION:

Support

None on file

Opposition

None on file

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