

Date of Hearing: April 2, 2018

ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

Jim Frazier, Chair

ACR 181 (Flora) – As Amended April 2, 2018

SUBJECT: Deputy Sheriff Dennis Wallace Memorial Highway

SUMMARY: Designates a specified portion of State Route (SR) 132 in the County of Stanislaus as the “Deputy Sheriff Dennis Wallace Memorial Highway”. Specifically, **this resolution:**

- 1) Recounts the life and accomplishments of Dennis Randall Wallace, a Deputy Sheriff in the County of Stanislaus.
- 2) Designates the portion of SR 132 from Root Road to McEwen Road in the County of Stanislaus as the “Deputy Sheriff Dennis Randall Wallace 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 resolution requests that Caltrans only erect the appropriate signage upon receiving donations from non-state sources covering the cost.

COMMENTS: Stanislaus County Deputy Sheriff Dennis Randall was born on May 13, 1963, in Ceres, California. Deputy Sheriff Randall was an active participant in youth sports, a mentor and a beloved member of his community. As Deputy Sheriff, he received much recognition for his work and on two separate occasions, saved the life of a suicidal man and an infant. Tragically, on November 13, 2016, Deputy Sheriff Wallace’s lost his life while on duty. This resolution designates a specific portion of State Route 132 in the County of Stanislaus as the “Deputy Sheriff Dennis Wallace Highway” in acknowledgment for the significant contribution he made to his community.

REGISTERED SUPPORT / OPPOSITION:

Support

None on File

Opposition

None on File

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