

Date of Hearing: July 13, 2015

ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION  
Jim Frazier, Chair  
ACR 86 (Roger Hernández) – As Introduced June 11, 2015

**SUBJECT:** CHP Officer William B. Wolff III Memorial Interchange.

**SUMMARY:** Designates the interchange at Interstate 10 (I-10) and Interstate 605 (I-605) in Los Angeles County as the "CHP Officer William B. Wolff III Memorial Interchange." Specifically, **this resolution:**

- 1) Recounts the lifetime accomplishments William Wolff, a father, husband, veteran, and officer with the California Highway Patrol (CHP).
- 2) Designates the interchange at I-10 and I-605 in Los Angeles County as the "CHP Officer William B. Wolff III Memorial Interchange."
- 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:** Born on January 22, 1946, Officer Wolff graduated high school in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and received his bachelor's degree in kinesiology from Cal Poly Pomona. Upon graduation Officer Wolff served in the United States Navy and also as a vocational nurse, ultimately becoming an officer with the CHP. On December 30, 1977, Officer Wolff was killed in the line of duty when he was struck by a drunk driver while making a traffic stop. Officer Wolff is survived by his two children, Eric and Carrie Ann, and granddaughter, Kaylee Rose. ACR 86 designating the interchange at I-10 and I-605 in honor of William Wolff and acknowledges the significant role Officer Wolff played in his community and for his country.

**REGISTERED SUPPORT / OPPOSITION:**

**Support**

California Association of Highway Patrolmen

**Opposition**

None on file

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