
Introduced by Senator Chesbro

March 7, 2001

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 18—Relative to the Earle W. Wrieden Memorial Highway.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SCR 18, as introduced, Chesbro. Earle W. Wrieden Memorial Highway.

This measure would designate the portion of State Highway Route 29 in Lake County that is between the Napa County line and the community of Lower Lake as the Earle W. Wrieden Memorial Highway.

The measure would also request the Department of Transportation to determine the cost of appropriate plaques and markers showing this special designation and, upon receiving donations from nonstate sources covering that cost, to erect appropriate plaques and markers.

Fiscal committee: yes.

1 WHEREAS, Earle W. Wrieden was born to Emma and John
2 Wrieden in Middletown, California on February 8, 1910, and,
3 except for one year in Berkeley, lived most of his life in
4 Middletown; and

5 WHEREAS, Earle Wrieden and his wife, Herta, were married
6 on July 9, 1939, and had a son, John, now deceased, and a daughter,
7 Lynn; and

8 WHEREAS, Earle Wrieden was appointed to the Lake County
9 Board of Supervisors in 1949, where he served for 24 years and
10 where he was instrumental in many changes, advances, and

1 improvements for the people of Middletown, Lake County, and
2 northern California; and

3 WHEREAS, Earle Wrieden was heavily involved in water
4 issues in Lake County, especially relating to Cache Creek and
5 Putah Creek; and

6 WHEREAS, Earle Wrieden’s prime interest was in roads,
7 including securing funds for the construction and maintenance of
8 county roads and facilitating the adoption of highly traveled
9 county roads into the state highway system; now, therefore, be it

10 *Resolved by the Senate of the State of California, the Assembly*
11 *thereof concurring,* That the portion of State Highway Route 29 in
12 Lake County that is between the Napa County line and the
13 community of Lower Lake is hereby officially designated the
14 Earle W. Wrieden Memorial Highway; and be it further.

15 *Resolved,* That the Department of Transportation is requested to
16 determine the cost of appropriate plaques and markers, consistent
17 with the signing requirements for the state highway system,
18 showing the special designation and, upon receiving donations
19 from nonstate sources covering that cost, to erect those plaques and
20 markers; and be it further

21 *Resolved,* That the Secretary of the Senate transmit a copy of
22 this resolution to the Director of Transportation.

