

Assembly Concurrent Resolution

No. 142

Introduced by Assembly Member Williams
(Coauthor: Senator Jackson)

February 19, 2016

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 142—Relative to the Ventura County Deputy Sheriff Peter Aguirre, Jr. Memorial Highway.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

ACR 142, as introduced, Williams. Ventura County Deputy Sheriff Peter Aguirre, Jr. Memorial Highway.

This measure would designate a specified portion of State Highway Route 33 in the County of Ventura as the Ventura County Deputy Sheriff Peter Aguirre, Jr. Memorial Highway. The measure would also request the Department of Transportation to determine the cost of appropriate signs showing this special designation and, upon receiving donations from nonstate sources covering the cost, to erect those signs.

Fiscal committee: yes.

- 1 WHEREAS, Deputy Sheriff Peter Aguirre, Jr. was a devoted
- 2 husband to his wife Dina and father to his two-year-old daughter,
- 3 Gabi; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Deputy Sheriff Peter Aguirre, Jr. studied for six
- 5 years in college and planned to become a schoolteacher, but shortly
- 6 before his death, switched to law enforcement studies; and
- 7 WHEREAS, Deputy Sheriff Peter Aguirre, Jr. served with the
- 8 Ventura County Sheriff's Department for two years and ten
- 9 months; and

1 WHEREAS, On July 17, 1996, when Deputy Sheriff Peter
2 Aguirre, Jr. was 26 years old, he responded to a domestic violence
3 call at a home in the Ojai Valley community of Meiners Oaks in
4 Ventura County. As Peter was approaching the home, he was
5 ambushed and shot, and died as a result of the injury; and

6 WHEREAS, As a peace officer, Deputy Sheriff Peter Aguirre,
7 Jr. gave his life to the citizens of Ventura County and the great
8 State of California; now, therefore, be it

9 *Resolved by the Assembly of the State of California, the Senate*
10 *thereof concurring,* That the Legislature hereby designates the
11 portion of State Highway Route 33 in the County of Ventura from
12 West Ojai Avenue at post mile 11.21 to Fairview Road at post
13 mile 12.8 as the Ventura County Deputy Sheriff Peter Aguirre, Jr.
14 Memorial Highway; and be it further

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

21 *Resolved,* That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly transmit copies
22 of this resolution to the Director of Transportation and to the author
23 for appropriate distribution.