

Assembly Concurrent Resolution

No. 33

Introduced by Assembly Member Jeffries

February 24, 2009

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 33—Relative to the Deputy Kent Hintergardt Memorial Highway.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

ACR 33, as introduced, Jeffries. Deputy Kent Hintergardt Memorial Highway.

This measure would designate a specified location on State Highway Route 15 in Temecula as the Deputy Kent Hintergardt Memorial Highway. This 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 those costs, to erect those signs.

Fiscal committee: yes.

- 1 WHEREAS, Deputy Kent Alan Hintergardt, born in Whittier
- 2 on December 14, 1959, had a childhood dream to serve as a deputy
- 3 sheriff; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Deputy Hintergardt graduated from California
- 5 High School in Whittier, and earned an Associates Degree in Police
- 6 Science from Rio Hondo College; and
- 7 WHEREAS, Deputy Hintergardt worked as an Assistant
- 8 Manager for Vons grocery store for 10 years prior to joining the
- 9 Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department on March 22, 1989,
- 10 and graduated from the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Academy
- 11 on August 31, 1989; and

1 WHEREAS, Deputy Hintergardt's first assignment was in the
2 Los Angeles County Central Jail until he joined the Riverside
3 County Sheriff's Department on February 7, 1991, and was
4 assigned to the Lake Elsinore Station; and

5 WHEREAS, Deputy Hintergardt was reassigned to the
6 Southwest Station and eventually was assigned to the City of
7 Temecula, where he served the last few months before his untimely
8 death; and

9 WHEREAS, Deputy Hintergardt, at the age of 33, was shot and
10 killed in the line of duty on Mother's Day, May 9, 1993, in
11 Temecula when he responded to a domestic violence call; and

12 WHEREAS, Deputy Hintergardt is survived by his wife Linda,
13 daughter Marissa, and daughter Kena, who was born seven months
14 after her father's death, and his father Farrell, his mother Pat, his
15 brother Mark, his sisters Terrie and Sandie, and many friends, each
16 of whom will always remember him as a wonderful, loving, family
17 man and friend; and

18 WHEREAS, In recognition of Deputy Hintergardt's
19 contributions and sacrifice in serving and protecting the residents
20 of Los Angeles County and Riverside County, it would be a fitting
21 tribute to designate a portion of State Highway Route 15, in
22 Temecula, as the Deputy Kent Hintergardt Memorial Highway;
23 now, therefore, be it

24 *Resolved by the Assembly of the State of California, the Senate*
25 *thereof concurring*, That the Legislature hereby designates the 4.3
26 mile portion of State Highway Route 15 from the State Highway
27 Route 215 interchange to the South 79 Exit at State Highway Route
28 79 in Temecula as the Deputy Kent Hintergardt Memorial
29 Highway; and be it further

30 *Resolved*, That the Department of Transportation is requested
31 to determine the cost of appropriate signs consistent with the
32 signing requirements for the state highway system showing this
33 special designation and, upon receiving donations from nonstate
34 sources sufficient to cover the cost, to erect those signs; and be it
35 further

36 *Resolved*, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly transmit copies
37 of this resolution to the Department of Transportation and to the
38 author for appropriate distribution.

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