

REVENUE: No revenue impact

FISCAL: No fiscal impact

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<b>Action:</b>	Do Adopt the A-Engrossed Measure
<b>Vote:</b>	5 - 0 - 0
<b>Yeas:</b>	Atkinson, Beyer, Burdick, Ferrioli, Rosenbaum
<b>Nays:</b>	0
<b>Exc.:</b>	0
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<b>Meeting Dates:</b>	5/12

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**WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:** Memorializes former Representative, Senator, and State Treasurer Ben Westlund, 1949-2010.

**ISSUES DISCUSSED:**

- Life of Ben Westlund
- Stories of personal interaction
- Commitment to the legislative process
- Love of the legislature and his colleagues
- Service to Native American community in Oregon
- His political legacy

**EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT:** No amendment.

**BACKGROUND:** Ben Westlund, of Tumalo, Oregon, was elected to the House of Representatives in 1996 and served in the House from 1997 until his appointment to the Senate in 2003. Westlund served in the Senate from 2003 until his inauguration as Oregon State Treasurer in 2009. He was the State Treasurer until his death on March 7, 2010.

House Concurrent Resolution 23-A is sponsored or co-sponsored by Oregon's 60 Representatives and 30 Senators.