

REVENUE: No revenue impact

FISCAL: No fiscal impact

Action:	Be Adopted
Vote:	4 - 0 - 1
Yeas:	Beyer, Ferrioli, Starr, Rosenbaum
Nays:	0
Exc.:	Burdick
Prepared By:	Erin Seiler, Administrator
Meeting Dates:	2/25

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES: Recognizes and honors Sergeant Scott Collins and Reserve Deputy Mark Whitehead for their service to this state.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Sacrifice of Sergeant Scott Collins and Reserve Deputy Mark Whitehead
- Circumstances of accident that killed officers
- Placement of road sign recognizing officers
- Recognition of service of reserve officers

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT: No amendment.

BACKGROUND: On February 26, 1993 Reserve Sergeant Scott Collins and Reserve Deputy Mark Whitehead were killed when their patrol car was struck by a drunk driver in Multnomah County.

Reserve Sergeant Collins served as a volunteer sheriff's reserve deputy with the Multnomah County Sheriff's Office for nine years, where he took on coaching and supervisory duties of newer reserve deputies. He enjoyed helping people and being outdoors and served with the Mt. Hood Ski Patrol. Reserve Sergeant Collins was survived by his mother, Geraldine Collins, father Elbert Collins, and sisters, Dawn Waddington and Colleen Tavarez.

Reserve Deputy Mark Whitehead had completed the Reserve Academy and served as a volunteer sheriff's reserve deputy with the Multnomah County Sheriff's Office for nine months and aspired to be a full-time law enforcement officer. He loved music, was employed teaching music and was involved in the Portland Youth Philharmonic for many years.

House Concurrent Resolution 202 recognizes and honors Reserve Sergeant Scott Collins and Reserve Deputy Mark Whitehead for their service to this state and making the ultimate sacrifice in the service to their community.