

HCR 2 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

Senate Committee On Rules

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Meeting Dates: 4/24

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

Recognizes and honors Chief Daniel K. Duncan (1955-2010) for his service to the State of Oregon.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:

BACKGROUND:

After a distinguished career in law enforcement, Lake Oswego Police Chief Daniel Duncan died in his sleep on May 20, 2010.

Chief Daniel Kim Duncan was born on January 28, 1955, in Portland, Oregon, attending Aloha High School, Tillamook Bay Community College and Clackamas Community College. His public safety career spanned more than three decades. He began his career in the Tillamook County Sheriff's Office as a corrections officer in 1976; then deputy medical examiner and firearms instructor from 1978 to 1985 and criminal deputy in 1985. He joined the Lake Oswego Police Department as a patrol officer in 1985, serving in multiple positions before becoming Chief of Police in 2003, a position he held until he passed away. His dedication to law enforcement was demonstrated when he was awarded the Oregon Association of Chiefs of Police, President's Award for his work on the Methamphetamine Program video entitled "Crystal Darkness" that aired statewide; when, in 2009, the Lake Oswego Police Department received accreditation from CALEA, the national credentialing authority for law enforcement; and when he established the Lake Oswego Police Department Honor Guard and its line of duty death protocol.

Chief Duncan loved riding Harley motorcycles and spending time with his wife DeAnn, daughter Dana Kae, son Daniel Cal, and his grandchildren. Together they enjoyed spending time in the outdoors, hunting and fishing. In addition, he played the guitar, sang and wrote music.

House Concurrent Resolution 2 honors Chief Daniel K. Duncan for his service to this state.