



To: Members of the House Committee on Rules

From: Kevin Campbell
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Oregon State Sheriffs' Association

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**Re: Testimony in Support of recognizing and honoring
Chief Daniel K. Duncan**

Chair Williamson and Members of the Committee,

For the record, my name is Kevin Campbell and I am here today on behalf of the Oregon Association Chiefs of Police to support HCR 2 and to join the work of this committee to recognize and honor all of those who make the ultimate sacrifice in service to our citizens.

If Dan were here today, you would immediately be drawn to his big smile and his contagious and positive personality. He was an active member of the Oregon Association Chiefs of Police...more importantly; he was a respected law enforcement leader and a friend to many. His career in public safety lasted 34 years with 25 of those years in a range of positions with the Lake Oswego Police Department. Dan served as the Lake Oswego Police Chief for 7 years.

At the time of his death, Dan and his wife DeAnn were excited to begin their plans for retirement. Dan died just 12 days prior to his June 1st retirement date. It is important to note that Dan's death was due to a heart attack. Unfortunately, the impact of a law enforcement career can take an incredible toll on the health of our police officers. In Dan's case...it did.

Dan was a good man who loved his wife and family, cared for the community he served and exhibited the highest level of integrity and professionalism.

I want to thank the committee for your work on HCR 2 and the other measures that recognize and honor our heroes in public safety who make the ultimate sacrifice.