

## Enrolled

# Senate Concurrent Resolution 9

Sponsored by Senator PROZANSKI; Representative HOLVEY (Presession filed.)

Whereas Deputy Carlton Edmund Smith was born on March 3, 1932, in Salem, Oregon, to Edith and Edmund Smith, and he and his brother, Robert, grew up surrounded by family; and

Whereas Deputy Smith graduated from Reedsport High School in 1950; and

Whereas Deputy Smith soon after married Joann Smith, with whom he had a son, Robert, and daughter, Dianne; and

Whereas in 1958 Deputy Smith married Margaret Clingon, becoming stepfather to Terry, and together he and Margaret had three sons, Randy, Donny and Chris; and

Whereas Deputy Smith served with the Springfield Police Department from 1957 to 1959; and

Whereas after leaving the police force, Deputy Smith worked for a dairy, delivering milk to homes in the community; and

Whereas Deputy Smith was hired by the Lane County Sheriff's Office on July 6, 1965; and

Whereas on that same day, Deputy Smith was shot and killed by two convicted felons after stopping their vehicle in the Valley River Center area for speeding; and

Whereas Deputy Smith was killed at 11 p.m., just one hour before his first shift was scheduled to be over; and

Whereas Deputy Smith enjoyed sport fishing, scuba diving and being a baseball coach and high school football referee; and

Whereas Deputy Smith enjoyed spending as much time as possible with his family; and

Whereas Deputy Smith's passion and dedication to his job were passed on to the next generation, as law enforcement careers were chosen by two of his sons, Donny, who joined the Eugene Police Department, and Randy, who worked for the Junction City Police Department, the Deschutes County Sheriff's Office and the Eugene Police Department and retired from the Lane County Sheriff's Office; and

Whereas Deputy Smith had many friends and is greatly missed; now, therefore,

**Be It Resolved by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Oregon:**

That we, the members of the Seventy-ninth Legislative Assembly, recognize and honor Deputy Carlton Edmund Smith for his service to this state.

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Adopted by Senate March 9, 2017

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Lori L. Brocker, Secretary of Senate

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Peter Courtney, President of Senate

Adopted by House June 14, 2017

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Tina Kotek, Speaker of House