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On Behalf Of:
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I am former State Representative Tom Mason - I served from 1979 to 1993, representing SW Portland. Dick came to the House one session after me in 1981. Not only did we serve together, but he was a close personal friend. Dick and I did coffee weekly right up to a few weeks before his untimely death.

There was no one more devoted public service than Dick Springer. His service went far beyond the Legislative, He was a United States Senate Page, a Naval officer and a deputy district attorney.

This memorial is more than well deserved. The State would be well served if there were more Dick Springers as members of the Legislature.

Thank you.