

SCS SB 1059 -- MEMORIAL HIGHWAY

SPONSOR: Kennedy (Roorda)

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "do pass by consent" by the Committee on Transportation by a vote of 15 to 0.

This substitute designates a portion of Interstate 55 in St. Louis County as the "Officer Thomas G. Smith Jr. Memorial Highway." All signage costs will be paid for by private donations.

FISCAL NOTE: No impact on state funds in FY 2007, FY 2008, and FY 2009.

PROPOSERS: Supporters say that this designation is appropriate for an officer who gave his life for the protection of the public.

Testifying for the bill was Senator Kennedy.

OPPOSERS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.

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