

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

SENATE JOINT MEMORIAL 8021

56th Legislature
2000 Regular Session

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YEAS 42 NAYS 0

President of the Senate

Passed by the House March 2, 2000
YEAS 97 NAYS 1

**Speaker of the
House of Representatives**

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Approved

Governor of the State of Washington

CERTIFICATE

I, Tony M. Cook, Secretary of the Senate of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SENATE JOINT MEMORIAL 8021** as passed by the Senate and the House of Representatives on the dates hereon set forth.

Secretary

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**Secretary of State
State of Washington**

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By Senators Spanel, Haugen, Gardner and Kline

Read first time 01/19/2000. Referred to Committee on Transportation.

1 TO THE HONORABLE SID MORRISON, SECRETARY OF TRANSPORTATION, AND TO
2 THE WASHINGTON STATE TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION, AND TO THE WASHINGTON
3 STATE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION:

4 We, your Memorialists, the Senate and House of Representatives of
5 the State of Washington, in legislative session assembled, respectfully
6 represent and petition as follows:

7 WHEREAS, Mr. Paul Luvera, Sr. (3/25/1898 - 11/4/90) spent a
8 lifetime effort towards the betterment of the city of Anacortes and its
9 citizens; and

10 WHEREAS, Mr. Paul Luvera, Sr.'s life was dedicated to public
11 service, which included serving as President of numerous civic
12 organizations such as the Anacortes Merchants' Association and Chamber
13 of Commerce and chairing numerous civic committees including various
14 relief funds during the depression, the Anacortes Transportation
15 Committee, and the Cascade Highway Promotion effort; and

16 WHEREAS, Mr. Paul Luvera, Sr. served as a Washington State Senator
17 from 1953 through 1957, during which time he secured funding for the
18 construction of the segment of State Route 20 that stretches from the
19 south end of Commercial Avenue in the city of Anacortes to the
20 Deception Pass/Whidbey Island Junction; and

1 WHEREAS, Upon completion of the newly constructed segment of State
2 Route 20 in August 1958, the Chairman of the then Washington State
3 Highway Commission, Lewis B. Wallace, stated in his dedication speech:
4 "You (Mr. Luvera) have done more towards spearheading this road than
5 any other individual. And credit should be given to you. When this
6 highway is completely finished, it will be a credit to the state and
7 your community."

8 NOW, THEREFORE, Your Memorialists respectfully pray that the
9 Washington State Transportation Commission commence proceedings to name
10 the segment of State Route 20 starting at the south end of Commercial
11 Avenue in the city of Anacortes and ending at the Deception
12 Pass/Whidbey Island junction the "Paul N. Luvera, Sr. Memorial
13 Highway."

14 BE IT RESOLVED, That copies of this Memorial be immediately
15 transmitted to the Honorable Sid Morrison, Secretary of Transportation,
16 The Washington State Transportation Commission, and the Washington
17 State Department of Transportation.

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