

# SENATE BILL REPORT

## HJM 4014

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As Reported By Senate Committee On:  
Highways & Transportation, April 3, 2003

**Brief Description:** Naming the "Maryann Mitchell Memorial Interchange."

**Sponsors:** Representatives Woods, Miloscia, Priest, Hankins, Shabro, Rockefeller, Sehlin, Lovick, Bailey, Holmquist, Ericksen, Tom, Schindler, Clements, Morris, Anderson, Sullivan, Dickerson, Wood, Murray, Ruderman, Kirby, Kenney, Haigh, Kagi, Schual-Berke, Linville, Moeller, Chase, Romero, Simpson, Quall, Conway, Santos, Upthegrove, Darneille, Veloria, Pearson, Alexander, Skinner and Talcott.

**Brief History:**

**Committee Activity:** Highways & Transportation: 3/27/03, 4/3/03 [DP].

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### SENATE COMMITTEE ON HIGHWAYS & TRANSPORTATION

**Majority Report:** Do pass.

Signed by Senators Horn, Chair; Benton, Vice Chair; Swecker, Vice Chair; Esser, Finkbeiner, Haugen, Jacobsen, Kastama, Mulliken, Oke, Prentice and Spanel.

**Staff:** Janice Baumgardt (786-7319)

**Background:** The Legislature has, in the past, designated some portions of the state highway system with memorial names. More recently, the Transportation Commission has developed a policy to name memorials within the state highway system when requested to do so by the Legislature. The commission then adopts a resolution directing the Department of Transportation to coordinate with the family of the individual being memorialized to plan a ceremony to designate the facility with the memorial name. A plaque will be embedded in the structure at this ceremony.

**Summary of Bill:** The Transportation Commission is requested to designate the 320th Street crossing of Interstate Five in the city of Federal Way the "Maryann Mitchell Memorial Interchange."

**Appropriation:** None.

**Fiscal Note:** Not requested.

**Effective Date:** Ninety days after adjournment of session in which bill is passed.

**Testimony For:** This is a fitting way to honor Maryann Mitchell and it is a small token of appreciation to her family for all the time she was away from them while doing so much for the state.

**Testimony Against:** None.

**Testified:** PRO: Representative Woods.