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House Transportation

SB 2277

Representative Ruby, Chair

For the record, I am Stephanie Dassinger Engebretson, and I am submitting this testimony on behalf of the Chiefs of Police Association of North Dakota. I am also the deputy director and attorney for the North Dakota League of Cities.

The Chiefs of Police appear today in support of SB 2277. This bill dedicates Highway 200 from the Minnesota to the Montana border as the North Dakota Fallen Peace Officers Memorial Highway. Along that route, each fallen officer will have one mile dedicated to their memory. The Chiefs of Police fully support this public effort to memorialize law enforcement officers who have died while protecting their communities.

The Chiefs of Police respectfully request a Do Pass recommendation on SB 2277.