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Representative Tsosie

A CONCURRENT MEMORIAL

URGING THE STATE BOARD ON GEOGRAPHIC AND HISTORIC NAMES TO RENAME LEUPP ROAD TO KACHINA POINT ROAD.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 To the Chairperson of the State Board on Geographic and Historic Names:

2 Your memorialist respectfully represents:

3 Whereas, the Constitution and bylaws of the Hopi Tribe, article VI,  
4 powers of the tribal council, section 1(a), authorize the Hopi Tribal  
5 Council "to represent and speak for the Hopi Tribe in all matters for the  
6 welfare of the Tribe"; and

7 Whereas, the Hopi Tribe is a federally recognized sovereign nation  
8 with inherent authority to govern its lands and protect its cultural  
9 heritage; and

10 Whereas, the Hopi Tribal Council recognizes the historical and  
11 cultural significance of the name "Kachina Point," as it reflects the  
12 traditions, values and identity of the Hopi people; and

13 Whereas, officially renaming Leupp Road to Kachina Point Road would  
14 honor Hopi heritage and strengthen relationships between tribal, state and  
15 federal partners; and

16 Whereas, the Hopi Tribal Council fully supports this renaming, as it  
17 represents an important step toward preserving and promoting Hopi culture  
18 for future generations.

19 Wherefore your memorialist, the House of Representatives of the State of

20 Arizona, the Senate concurring, prays:

21 1. That the State Board on Geographic and Historic Names rename  
22 Leupp Road to Kachina Point Road to promote Hopi heritage and culture in  
23 this state.

24 2. That the Secretary of State transmit a copy of this Memorial to  
25 the Chairperson of the State Board on Geographic and Historic Names.