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THEODORE R. KULONGOSKI  
Governor

January 15, 2010

Gail Achterman  
Chair, Oregon Transportation Commission  
355 Capitol St. NE  
Salem, OR 97301

Dear Chair Achterman:

The late Randy Papé served as a member of the Oregon Transportation Commission from January 2001 to November 2007. During his tenure, the Commission implemented and selected projects for the \$3 billion Oregon Transportation Investment Act program and the \$100 million *ConnectOregon* program. His influence in numerous transportation policy discussions will continue to impact Oregonians for years to come.

Randy's contributions to Oregon were broad and deep and went well beyond the transportation arena. As a respected businessman and chairman of the Papé Group, Randy served on boards of directors for the Nature Conservancy of Oregon, the Oregon Business Council, the Governor's Task Force on Education and Economy, the Oregon Community Foundation, Rotary Club World Presidents Organization, the United Way of Lane County, and his beloved University of Oregon Foundation, to name but a few.

Whether public policy, business or sports, Randy Papé was a leader and a passionate driving force of whom Oregon can be proud. I know that Randy Papé made a lasting contribution with a significant and historic impact on Oregon.

I ask that the Oregon Transportation Commission designate the Beltline Highway in Eugene in honor of Randall C. Papé as an appropriate tribute to Randy's contributions to the State of Oregon.

I look forward to participating in the designation ceremony in 2010.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Theodore R. Kulongoski".

THEODORE R. KULONGOSKI  
Governor

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