



DATE: February 1, 2024

RE: **Letter of Support for SB 357**

Dear Members of the Senate,

On behalf of the City of Belleville, I am writing to express our strong support for SB 357 which would rename a portion of US Highway 81 in honor of Merle Miller.

Merle had a strong vision of what a four-lane highway would mean for the region. He advocated and worked hard to promote the highway.

Renaming a portion of Hwy 81 would be more than appropriate to honor Merle. It would mean a lot to the community and all who knew him. Thank you for considering this SB 357.

Sincerely,

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