

The Honorable Mike Petersen
Committee on Transportation
Statehouse
Room 345-S
Topeka, Kansas 66612

I am writing you to ask for your support of Kansas SB 20 which would designate a portion of US 69 Highway in Overland Park as the DENNIS M. WILSON MEMORIAL HIGHWAY.

I met Dennis at Van Chevrolet when it was in Merriam, Kansas, when I started selling used cars after graduating from Pitt State University in 1971, and he was a young 18 year old selling new cars. We had stayed close friends as we both grew to own multiple dealerships, got married, and had children until his death recently.

As you know Dennis lived a life every moment to be in a position to always be looking out for fellow friends, family customers and citizens of the state he loved, Kansas!! This SB would be a fitting tribute and memorial to Dennis and his family for all to remember him, and that would put a smile on your face as everytime you passed his name on that stretch of highway.

Thank you, and my best,
Miles E Schnaer
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Lawrence, Kansas