

SCR 8 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

Senate Committee On Veterans, Emergency Management, Federal and World Affairs

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Meeting Dates: 3/7

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

Memorializes Donald C. "Don" Carey (1925-2019).

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:

No amendment.

BACKGROUND:

Donald C. "Don" Carey was born on February 17th, 1925, in Gates, Oregon. Don graduated from Gates High School and served his country with honor and distinction during World War II in the Army Air Corps. He later graduated Oregon State College in 1950 and began a lifelong career in teaching, counseling and coaching in Stayton, Oregon. Don was one of the most successful high school basketball coaches in Oregon history. As head basketball coach he led the Stayton High School team to two state championships and 14 Capital Conference championships; he also led the Stayton High School golf team to nine state championships and 20 Capital Conference championships. Don earned state coach of the year honors for basketball three times and for golf four times, and the National High School Coaches Association named him national golf coach of the year in 1993. Don will also be remembered for connecting with and mentoring students, and his avid interest in sports, hunting, fishing and photography. Don passed away on March 9, 2019; he is survived by his wife of 69 years, Helen, their three sons and numerous grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Senate Concurrent Resolution 8 celebrates the life and accomplishments of Donald C. "Don" Carey.