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FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

SPONSOR: Pinto DATE TYPED: 2/26/03 HB _____

SHORT TITLE: Code Talker Memorial Highway SB SJM29

ANALYST: Reynolds-Forte

APPROPRIATION

Appropriation Contained		Estimated Additional Impact		Recurring or Non-Rec	Fund Affected
FY03	FY04	FY03	FY04		
			\$10.0	Non-Rec	State Road Fund

(Parenthesis () Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

Responses Received From
State Highway and Transportation Department

SUMMARY

Synopsis of Bill

SJM 29 requests that the Secretary of Highway and Transportation Department designate State Highway 264 as “Code Talker Memorial highway”

Significant Issues

State Highway 264 was memorialized by the State Highway Commission as the “Code Talkers Highway” in May 1998. The Navajo Nation initially made this request in February 1998 along with a pledge to design, install and maintain the signage.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

If the State Highway Department were to be required to sign State Highway 264 as the Code Talker Memorial Highway the cost would be minimal, possibly \$10.0 or less. The Department would need to place signs at the beginning and end of the Highway in both directions. The signs would cost \$1.0-\$2.0 per sign.

PRF/yr