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SENATE BILL NO. 64

By Tracy

Substituted for: House Bill No. 1030

By Dean

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 54, relative to transportation infrastructures.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1.

(a)(1) Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the bridge on U.S. Highway 70 in Cumberland County is hereby designated as the "Sgt. Morgan W. Strader Memorial Bridge" in recognition of the life of valor and death in combat of Sgt. Morgan W. Strader, United States Marine Corps, who made the ultimate sacrifice on November 12, 2004, while serving his country in Fallujah, Iraq.

(2) The department of transportation is directed to erect suitable signs or affix suitable markers designating the bridge described in subdivision (a)(1) as the "Sgt. Morgan W. Strader Memorial Bridge." The cost of such signage shall be funded in accordance with Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 54-1-133.

(3) The erection of signs shall be within the guidelines prescribed by the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices.

(4) This subsection shall become operative only if the federal highway administrator advises the commissioner of transportation in writing that the provisions of this subsection shall not render Tennessee in violation of federal laws and regulations and subject to penalties prescribed therein.

(b)(1) Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the segment of U.S. Highway 45 in Chester County from Estes Church of Christ at Montezuma Road northward to the corporate limits of the City of Henderson is hereby designated the "Dan Cole Memorial Highway" in recognition of the life of valor of Chief Warrant Officer 4 Daniel Cole, United States Army, one of Tennessee's finest citizens.

(2) The department of transportation is directed to erect suitable signs or to affix suitable markers designating the segment of U.S. Highway 45 described in subdivision (b)(1) as the "Dan Cole Memorial Highway". The cost of such signage shall be funded in accordance with Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 54-1-133.

(3) The erection of such signs shall be within the guidelines prescribed by the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices.

(4) This subsection shall become operative only if the federal highway administrator advises the commissioner of transportation in writing that the provisions of this subsection shall not render Tennessee in violation of federal laws and regulations and subject to penalties prescribed therein.

(5) The appellation "Dan Cole Memorial Highway" provided for in this subsection is for honorary purposes only and nothing contained herein shall be construed as requiring the alteration of any address, or the governmental system for assigning addresses, in any county, municipality, or other governmental entity affected by this subsection.

(6) Nothing contained in this subsection shall be construed as requiring the alteration of any previously named segments of U.S. Highway 45 described in subdivision (b)(1).

(2) The department of transportation is directed to erect suitable signs or to affix suitable markers designating the segment of State Route 58 described in subdivision (f)(1) as the "Shane M. Daughetee Memorial Highway". Such signs or markers shall be erected so as to be visible to motorists in the northbound and southbound lanes of State Route 58. The cost of such signage shall be funded in accordance with Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 54-1-133.

(3) The erection of such signs shall be within the guidelines prescribed by the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices.

(4) This subsection shall become operative only if the federal highway administrator advises the commissioner of transportation in writing that the provisions of this subsection shall not render Tennessee in violation of federal laws and regulations and subject to penalties prescribed therein.

(5) The appellation "Shane M. Daughetee Memorial Highway" provided for in this subsection is for honorary purposes only and nothing contained herein shall be construed as requiring the alteration of any address, or the governmental system for assigning addresses, in any county, municipality, or other governmental entity affected by this subsection.

(6) Nothing in this subsection shall be construed as requiring the alteration of any previously named segments of State Route 58 described in subdivision (f)(1).

(g)(1) Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the segment of James White Parkway from the South Knoxville Bridge that spans the Tennessee River to Moody Avenue is hereby designated the "Capt. Marcus Ray Alford, Sr. Memorial Highway" in recognition of the life of valor and death in combat of Captain Marcus Ray Alford, Sr., United States Army, who lost his life on February 21, 2010, in a helicopter crash while serving his country in Iraq.

(2) The department of transportation is directed to erect suitable signs or to affix suitable markers designating the segment described in subdivision (g)(1) as the "Capt. Marcus Ray Alford, Sr. Memorial Highway". The cost of such signage shall be funded in accordance with Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 54-1-133.

(3) The erection of such signs shall be within the guidelines prescribed by the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices.

(4) This subsection shall become operative only if the federal highway administrator advises the commissioner of transportation in writing that the provisions of this subsection shall not render Tennessee in violation of federal laws and regulations and subject to penalties prescribed therein.

(5) The appellation "Capt. Marcus Ray Alford, Sr. Memorial Highway" provided for in this subsection is for honorary purposes only and nothing contained herein shall be construed as requiring the alteration of any address, or the governmental system for assigning addresses, in any county, municipality, or other governmental entity affected by this subsection.

(6) Nothing in this subsection shall be construed as requiring the alteration of any previously named segments of James White Parkway described in subdivision (g)(1).

(h)(1) Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the bridge spanning the Tennessee River on Interstate 75 in Loudon County, Tennessee, is hereby designated the "Sgt. Mitchell W. Stout Memorial Bridge" in recognition of the life of valor and death in combat of Sgt. Mitchell W. Stout, United States Army, who made the ultimate sacrifice on March 12, 1970, while courageously protecting his fellow soldiers from a grenade blast at Khe Gio Bridge during the Vietnam War.

(2) The department of transportation is directed to erect suitable signs or to affix suitable markers designating the bridge described in subdivision (h)(1) as the "Sgt. Mitchell W. Stout Memorial Bridge". The cost of such signage shall be funded in accordance with Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 54-1-133.

(3) The erection of such signs shall be within the guidelines prescribed by the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices.

(4) This subsection shall become operative only if the federal highway administrator advises the commissioner of transportation in writing that the provisions of this subsection shall not render Tennessee in violation of federal laws and regulations and subject to penalties prescribed therein.

(i)(1) Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the bridge spanning Goose Creek on State Route 67 in Mountain City, Tennessee, located west of such route's intersection with U.S. Highway 421 is hereby designated the "Spc. Frederick Green Memorial Bridge" to honor the memory of a remarkable young man who lost his life in the tragedy at Fort Hood, Texas, on November 5, 2009.

(2) The department of transportation is directed to erect suitable signs or to affix suitable markers designating the bridge described in subdivision (i)(1) as the "Spc. Frederick Green Memorial Bridge." The cost of such signage shall be funded in accordance with Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 54-1-133.

(3) The erection of such signs shall be within the guidelines prescribed by the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices.

(4) This subsection shall become operative only if the federal highway administrator advises the commissioner of transportation in writing that the provisions of this subsection shall not render Tennessee in violation of federal laws and regulations and subject to penalties prescribed therein.

(j)(1) Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the segment of the highway commonly known as Amnicola Highway (which highway includes segments of State Route 58) in Chattanooga, Tennessee, from Curtain Pole Road to Crutchfield Street is hereby designated the "Officer Richard Alexander Memorial Highway" as a lasting tribute to the late Richard Alexander, who served as a police officer with the Chattanooga Police Department for twenty-two years before losing his life on October 5, 2000, while on duty.

(2) The department of transportation is directed to erect suitable signs or to affix suitable markers designating the segment of Amnicola Highway described in subdivision (j)(1) as the "Officer Richard Alexander Memorial Highway". The cost of such signage shall be funded in accordance with Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 54-1-133.

(3) The erection of such signs shall be within the guidelines prescribed by the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices.

(4) This subsection shall become operative only if the federal highway administrator advises the commissioner of transportation in writing that the provisions of this subsection shall not render Tennessee in violation of federal laws and regulations and subject to penalties prescribed therein.

(5) The appellation "Officer Richard Alexander Memorial Highway" provided for in this subsection is for honorary purposes only and nothing contained herein shall be construed as requiring the alteration of any address, or the governmental system for assigning addresses, in any county, municipality, or other governmental entity affected by this subsection.

(6) Nothing in this subsection shall be construed as requiring the alteration of any previously named segments of Amnicola Highway described in subdivision (j)(1).

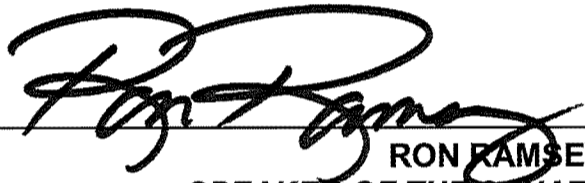
(k)(1) Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the segment of Interstate 40 in Henderson County, Tennessee, from mile marker 101 to mile marker 104 is hereby designated the "Thomas Birthel Wilson Memorial Highway" to honor the memory of this beloved resident of Henderson County who courageously served his country during World War II and who ably served his fellow citizens as an employee of the Tennessee Department of Transportation before losing his life while working on a project on this interstate.

(2) The department of transportation is directed to erect suitable signs or to affix suitable markers designating the segment of Interstate 40 described in subdivision (k)(1) as the "Thomas Birthel Wilson Memorial Highway."

(3) The erection of such signs shall be within the guidelines prescribed by the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices.

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PASSED: April 19, 2013



RON RAMSEY
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE



BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this 20th day of May 2013



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