

# An Act

ENROLLED SENATE  
BILL NO. 641

By: Montgomery, Weaver and  
Boggs of the Senate

and

Hasenbeck, Conley,  
Fetgatter and Hill of the  
House

An Act relating to memorial highway and bridge designations; designating the Gold Star Families Memorial Highway; designating the Randy Peterson Memorial Highway; designating the Sgt. Michael A. Crawford Memorial Highway; designating the Sgt. Jason McCluskey Memorial Bridge; designating the Lt. Heath Meyer #64 Memorial Highway; designating the Thelma "Chincie" Ross WWII Chickasaw Code Talker Memorial Bridge; designating the Sgt. Maj. Christopher Nelms Memorial Bridge; designating the Comanche Code Talker Trailway; requiring certain markers; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

SUBJECT: Memorial highway and bridge designations

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1698.287 of Title 69, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

The section of U.S. Highway 277 beginning on the west side of the H.E. Bailey Turnpike and extending west to the intersection of U.S. Highway 62 in Comanche County shall be designated as the "Gold

Star Families Memorial Highway". The Department of Transportation shall cause suitable permanent markers bearing that name to be placed on the highway.

SECTION 2. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1698.288 of Title 69, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

The section of U.S. Highway 69B beginning at the intersection of Foley Avenue and extending north to the intersection of Selmon Road within the municipal limits of Eufaula shall be designated as the "Randy Peterson Memorial Highway". The Department of Transportation shall cause suitable permanent markers bearing that name to be placed on the highway.

SECTION 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1698.289 of Title 69, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

The section of U.S. Highway 266 beginning at the intersection with U.S. Highway 75 and extending east to the eastern municipal limit of Dewar within Okmulgee County shall be designated as the "Sgt. Michael A. Crawford Memorial Highway". The Department of Transportation shall cause suitable permanent markers bearing that name to be placed on the highway.

SECTION 4. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1698.290 of Title 69, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

The bridge over U.S. Highway 69 on U.S. Highway 270 within the municipal limits of McAlester shall be designated as the "Sgt. Jason McCluskey Memorial Bridge". The Department of Transportation shall cause suitable permanent markers bearing that name to be placed on the highway.

SECTION 5. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1698.291 of Title 69, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

The portion of Interstate 35 in the area one (1) mile north and one (1) mile south of North 27th Street within the municipal limits

of Moore shall be designated as the "Lt. Heath Meyer #64 Memorial Highway". The Department of Transportation shall cause suitable permanent markers bearing that name to be placed on the highway.

SECTION 6. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1698.292 of Title 69, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

The bridge located on State Highway 37 one-half (0.5) mile west of the Stillwater Central Railroad crossing in the town of Tuttle in Grady County shall be designated as the "Thelma "Chincie" Ross WWII Chickasaw Code Talker Memorial Bridge". The Department of Transportation shall cause suitable permanent markers bearing that name to be placed on the highway.

SECTION 7. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1698.293 of Title 69, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

The bridge over the Washita River on U.S. Highway 77 located approximately one (1) mile west of Wynnewood in Garvin County shall be designated as the "Sgt. Maj. Christopher Nelms Memorial Bridge". The Department of Transportation shall cause suitable permanent markers bearing that name to be placed on the highway.

SECTION 8. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1698.294 of Title 69, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

The section of State Highway 5 beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 277 in Cotton County then extending east to the intersection of North 7th Street in Walters shall be designated as the "Comanche Code Talker Trailway". The Department of Transportation shall cause suitable permanent markers bearing that name to be placed on the highway.

SECTION 9. This act shall become effective November 1, 2019.

Passed the Senate the 8th day of May, 2019.

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Presiding Officer of the Senate

Passed the House of Representatives the 25th day of April, 2019.

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Presiding Officer of the House  
of Representatives

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Received by the Office of the Governor this \_\_\_\_\_

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