An Act

ENROLLED SENATE
BILL NO. 1490

By: Jech of the Senate

and

Wright, Sanders and Hickman
of the House

An Act relating to roads and bridges; amending Section 4, Chapter 61, O.S.L. 2015 (69 O.S. Supp. 2015, Section 1698.215), which relates to memorial highway designations; modifying designation of certain highway; designating the J. Cooper West Memorial Highway; designating the Washita County Undersheriff Brian Beck Memorial Highway; designating the Monte John Tucker Memorial Highway; designating the Meteorologist Gary England Bridge; requiring certain markers; providing for codification; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.

SUBJECT: Designating roads and bridges

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY Section 4, Chapter 61, O.S.L. 2015 (69 O.S. Supp. 2015, Section 1698.215), is amended to read as follows:

Section 1698.215. The section of U.S. Highway 81 in Jefferson County from the junction of U.S. Highway 81 and U.S. Highway 70 extending north and then northeast to the municipal limits of Addington shall be designated as the "~~Command Sergeant Major Benny~~ Medal of Honor Recipient CSM Bennie G. Adkins 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 1698.231 of Title 69, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

The section of Interstate 40 Business extending west from the Beckham County Line to one-quarter (1/4) of a mile west of the Interstate 40 and State Highway 34 Interchange shall be designated as the "J. Cooper West 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 1698.232 of Title 69, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

The section of Old U.S. Highway 66 in Washita County beginning at the western municipal limits of Canute extending one and one-half (1 1/2) miles west shall be designated as the "Washita County Undersheriff Brian Beck 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 1698.233 of Title 69, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

The section of State Highway 58 in Alfalfa County beginning one (1) mile east of the intersection of State Highway 58 and State Highway 11 extending east to the eastern municipal limits of Byron, Oklahoma, shall be designated as the "Monte John Tucker Memorial Highway". 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 1698.236 of Title 69, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

The bridge over the North Canadian River on U.S. Highway 60 north of Seiling, Oklahoma, shall be designated as the

"Meteorologist Gary England Bridge". The Department of Transportation shall cause suitable permanent markers to be placed on the bridge bearing that name.

SECTION 6. This act shall become effective July 1, 2016.

SECTION 7. It being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

Passed the Senate the 27th day of May, 2016.

Eddie Fields
Presiding Officer of the Senate

Passed the House of Representatives the 27th day of May, 2016.

Lee R. Denney Jr.
Presiding Officer of the House
of Representatives

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

Received by the Office of the Governor this 27th
day of May, 20 16, at 5:57 o'clock P M.
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Approved by the Governor of the State of Oklahoma this 6th
day of June, 20 16, at 4:00 o'clock P M.

Mary Fallin
Governor of the State of Oklahoma

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

Received by the Office of the Secretary of State this 6th
day of June, 20 16, at 4:53 o'clock P. M.
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