ENROLLED HOUSE
CONCURRENT
RESOLUTION NO. 1018

By: Thomas, Adair, Adkins, Anthony, Askins, Bastin, Begley, Benson, Beutler, Blackburn, Bonny, Boyd (Betty), Boyd (Laura), Breckinridge, Bryant, Case, Claunch, Coleman, Cotner, Cox, Cozort, Crocker, Culver, Dank, Davis, Deutschendorf, Dunegan, Dunlap, Eddins, Ervin, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Glover, Graves, Gray, Greenwood, Hager, Hamilton, Hastings, Hefner, Hiett, Hilliard, Holt, Hutchison, Johnson, Key, Kinnamon, Kirby, Kouba, Langmacher, Leist, Maddux, Mass, Matlock, McCorkell, Miller, Mitchell, Morgan, O'Neal, Paulk, Peltier, Perry, Pettigrew, Phillips, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Pope (Tim), Ramsey, Reese, Rhodes, Rice, Roach, Roberts, Ross, Sadler, Satterfield, Seikel, Settle, Smaligo, Smith (Bill), Smith (Dale), Staggs, Stanley, Steidley, Stites, Stottlemyre, Sullivan (John), Sullivan (Leonard), Taylor, Thornbrugh, Toure, Tyler, Vaughn, Voskuhl, Weaver, Webb, Weese, Wells, Widener and Worthen of the House

and

Stipe of the Senate

A Concurrent Resolution memorializing the service of Private First Class George L. Shields of Company C of the 90th Division of the 9th Army; designating the bridge crossing Five Mile Creek on State Highway 131 as "The George L. Shields Bridge"; directing the Department of Transportation to place appropriate markers; and directing distribution.

WHEREAS, Private First Class George L. Shields of Atoka County was a member of Company C of the 90th Division of the 9th Army during World War II; and

WHEREAS, Private First Class George L. Shields, while proudly serving his country in Belgium as a member of Company C of the 90th Division of the 9th Army, was killed during the Battle of the Bulge on December 15, 1944; and

WHEREAS, Private First Class George L. Shields gave the ultimate sacrifice while dutifully serving country, state and mankind during World War II.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 1ST SESSION OF THE 45TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE, THE SENATE CONCURRING THEREIN:

THAT the bridge over Five Mile Creek on State Highway 131 in Atoka County be and is hereby designated "The George L. Shields Bridge" as a lasting testimonial to the courage and sacrifice of Private First Class George L. Shields in the performance of his duties as a member of Company C of the 90th Division of the 9th Army.

THAT the Department of Transportation shall cause suitable permanent markers to be placed upon said bridge bearing the name "The George L. Shields Bridge" and an appropriate designation to memorialize the service of Private First Class George L. Shields to his country.

THAT copies of this resolution be distributed to the Department of Transportation and Mr. Johnny J. Self of Atoka County.

Adopted by the House of Representatives the 3rd day of April, 1995.

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Adopted by the Senate the 17th day of April, 1995.

President of the Senate