

ENROLLED HOUSE  
BILL NO. 1366

By: Buck and Roan of the House

and

Gumm of the Senate

An Act relating to Oklahoma historical societies; authorizing the Oklahoma Historical Society to mark the gravesites of deceased Oklahoma Governors; requiring gravesite markers to readily identify the gravesite; authorizing the Oklahoma Historical Society to purchase and hold property; granting the Oklahoma Historical Society certain authority; providing for funding of matching-fund agreements; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

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 6.1 of Title 53, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

A. The Oklahoma Historical Society is given the authority to mark the gravesites of deceased Governors of the State of Oklahoma which are located in Oklahoma with historical markers that readily identify the gravesite.

B. The Oklahoma Historical Society may purchase and hold property as may be necessary to erect the historical gravesite markers.

C. The Oklahoma Historical Society shall have authority to:

1. Designate the approximate location of the historical gravesite markers;

2. Preserve the historical gravesite markers;
3. Design the historical gravesite markers;
4. Accept gifts and donations for the erection and preservation of the gravesite markers; and
5. Encourage local participation in and contribution to the erection and preservation of the gravesite markers through the use of gifts, donations, and matching-fund agreements between local individuals or groups and the Historical Society. Such matching-fund agreements shall be funded by donations made to the Historical Society from sources other than appropriated dollars.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2009.



Passed the House of Representatives the 4th day of May, 2009.

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Presiding Officer of the House of  
Representatives

Passed the Senate the 14th day of April, 2009.

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