

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
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Committee Substitute for
House Bill No. 2696

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 2696 - By: ROAN of the House and CRUTCHFIELD of the Senate.

An Act relating to roads, bridges and ferries; designating the Master Sergeant Houston K. Blackburn Memorial Highway; designating the PFC Lonnie D. Loyd, Jr. Memorial Highway; designating the George Freas Memorial Bridge; designating the Fallen Heroes Memorial Bridge; designating the 95th Division Memorial Highway; designating the E. A. Woods Memorial Highway; designating the Representative Opio Toure Memorial Highway; providing for placement of permanent markers; providing for codification; and declaring an emergency.

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

1 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma
2 Statutes as Section 1698.60 of Title 69, unless there is created a duplication in
3 numbering, reads as follows:

4 That portion of State Highway 7 from the Atoka city limits extending west to the
5 Johnston County line shall be designated as the "Master Sergeant Houston K. Blackburn
6 Memorial Highway". The Department of Transportation shall cause suitable permanent
7 markers to be placed on the highway bearing that name.

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1 SECTION 2. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma
2 Statutes as Section 1698.61 of Title 69, unless there is created a duplication in
3 numbering, reads as follows:

4 That portion of State Highway 48 from the junction of State Highway 48 and State
5 Highway 7 extending north to the Johnston County line shall be designated as the "PFC
6 Lonnie D. Loyd, Jr. Memorial Highway". The Department of Transportation shall cause
7 suitable permanent markers to be placed on the highway bearing that name.

8 SECTION 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma
9 Statutes as Section 1698.62 of Title 69, unless there is created a duplication in
10 numbering, reads as follows:

11 The bridge on State Highway 31 approximately four (4) miles southwest of Ashland
12 in Coal County shall be designated the "George Freas Memorial Bridge". The
13 Department of Transportation shall cause suitable permanent markers to be placed on
14 the bridge bearing that name.

15 SECTION 4. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma
16 Statutes as Section 1698.63 of Title 69, unless there is created a duplication in
17 numbering, reads as follows:

18 The bridge crossing Bull Creek on East State Highway 60 approximately one (1)
19 mile east of the junction of East State Highway 60 and State Highway 2 in Craig County
20 shall be designated the "Fallen Heroes Memorial Bridge". The Department of
21 Transportation shall cause suitable permanent markers to be placed on the bridge
22 bearing that name.

1 SECTION 5. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma
2 Statutes as Section 1698.64 of Title 69, unless there is created a duplication in
3 numbering, reads as follows:

4 That portion of Interstate 44 located in Comanche County from the junction of
5 Interstate 44 and State Highway 7 extending north to mile marker 46 shall be
6 designated as the “95th Division Memorial Highway”. The Department of
7 Transportation shall cause suitable permanent markers to be placed on the highway
8 bearing that name.

9 SECTION 6. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma
10 Statutes as Section 1698.65 of Title 69, unless there is created a duplication in
11 numbering, reads as follows:

12 The portion of State Highway 46 from the junction of State Highway 46 and State
13 Highway 15 extending south to the junction of State Highway 46 and the Sharon-
14 Shattuck Road shall be designated as the “E. A. Woods Memorial Highway”. The
15 Department of Transportation shall cause suitable permanent markers to be placed on
16 the highway bearing that name.

17 SECTION 7. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma
18 Statutes as Section 1698.66 of Title 69, unless there is created a duplication in
19 numbering, reads as follows:

20 The portion of Interstate 35 in Oklahoma City between Northeast 23rd Street and
21 Interstate 40 shall be designated as the “Representative Opio Toure Memorial Highway”.

1 The Department of Transportation shall place suitable permanent markers on the
2 highway bearing that name.

3 SECTION 8. It being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public
4 peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby
5 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and be in full force from and
6 after its passage and approval.

7 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, dated 02-11-10 -
8 DO PASS, As Amended and Coauthored.