

BILL SUMMARY
1st Session of the 55th Legislature

Bill No.:	SB 1490
Version:	CCR A
Request Number:	n/a
Author:	Rep. Wright
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Impact:	Highway and Bridge Designations: \$0 to State

Research Analysis

The measure creates the following bridge and highway designations:

- J. Cooper West Memorial Highway
- Washita County Undersheriff Brian Beck Memorial Highway
- Monte John Tucker Memorial Highway
- Meteorologist Gary England Bridge

The measure also amends the name of an existing memorial highway by adding the words *Congressional Medal of Honor Recipient* to the Command Sergeant Major Benny G. Adkins Highway.

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Fiscal Analysis

The measure directs the Department of Transportation (ODOT) to place permanent markers upon the highways bearing the names of the individuals to be honored. 69 O.S. § 1600 provides that the costs associated with signage related to the naming of highways and bridges is to be paid by the group sponsoring or requesting the sign, except in instances of naming a highway or bridge to honor members of the armed forces who were killed in action. The individuals named in this measure are not armed forces members killed in action, therefore the cost of the signage will be paid by the sponsoring group.

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Other Considerations

None.