BILL SUMMARY

2nd Session of the 56th Legislature

Bill No.: SB1490
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Author: Rep. Lepak/Sen. Quinn
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Impact: Highway and Bridge Designations

Honoring Individuals Not Killed In Action: \$0 to State;

Honoring Certain Armed Forces Individuals: \$1,000 to \$2,000 per Site

Research Analysis

The measure creates the following memorial designations:

The Robert B. Robison Memorial Highway; The Sergeant Jeffrey Lee Drake Memorial Highway; The SSGT Jason R. Hendrex Memorial Bridge; The James Robert "Bob" Kalsu Memorial Bridge; and The Nancy Randolph Davis Memorial Highway.

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Fiscal Analysis

The measure directs the Department of Transportation (ODOT) to place permanent markers upon the highways and bridges 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, members of the Oklahoma Highway Patrol, peace officers, or first responders who were killed in action or in the performance of their duties.

According to the Department of Transportation, the estimated cost to the Department is between \$1,000 and \$2,000 per location depending on the class of highway.

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Other Considerations

None.