

BILL SUMMARY
1st Session of the 57th Legislature

Bill No.:	SB 641
Version:	Floor Amendment 1
Request Number:	
Author:	Rep. Hill
Date:	4/24/2019
Impact:	Highway and Bridge Designations Honoring Individuals Not Killed In Line of Duty: \$0 to State; Honoring Certain Individuals Killed In Line of Duty: \$1,000 to \$2,000 per Site

Research Analysis

Floor Amendment 1 to SB 641 designates a bridge on State Highway 37 in Grady County as the Thelma “Chincie” Ross WWII Chickasaw Code Talker Memorial Bridge.

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Fiscal Analysis

Floor Amendment 1 directs the Department of Transportation (ODOT) to place permanent markers upon a bridge bearing the name of an individual to be honored. Title 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 United States Armed Forces, Oklahoma Highway Patrol, peace officers and first responders who were killed in the line of duty.

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.