BILL SUMMARY

1st Session of the 58th Legislature

Bill No.: SB1521 Version: Committee Substitute

Request Number:

Author: Rep. Frix/ Sen. Standridge Date: 4/25/2021 Impact: Highway and Bridge Designations

Honoring Individuals Not Killed In Performance of Duties: \$0 to State;

Honoring Certain Individuals Killed In Performance of Duties: \$880 per location

Research Analysis

Pending

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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. 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 performance of their duties.

According to the Department of Transportation, the average estimated cost to the Department is \$880 per location. Such estimate is based on the placement of two signs at each location.

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Other Considerations

None.

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