

By the Committee on Transportation; and Senator Argenziano

306-2262-03

1                                   A bill to be entitled  
 2           An act relating to road and bridge  
 3           designations; designating a portion of  
 4           Interstate 75 as Purple Heart Memorial Highway;  
 5           designating Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.,  
 6           Memorial Highway in Hamilton County;  
 7           designating Nott Circle Roundabout in Suwannee  
 8           County; designating the Dr. Martin Luther King,  
 9           Jr., Memorial Highway in Gadsden County;  
 10          designating the Jim Deaton Memorial Bridge in  
 11          Duval County; directing the Department of  
 12          Transportation to erect suitable markers;  
 13          providing an effective date.

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 15 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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 17           Section 1. Purple Heart Memorial Highway designated;  
 18 department to erect suitable markers.--

19           (1) That portion of Interstate 75 from the  
 20 Georgia-Florida state line to the city limits of Ocala in  
 21 Marion County is hereby designated as "Purple Heart Memorial  
 22 Highway."

23           (2) The Department of Transportation is directed to  
 24 erect suitable markers designating Purple Heart Memorial  
 25 Highway as described in subsection (1).

26           Section 2. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Memorial  
 27 Highway designated; department to erect suitable markers.--

28           (1) That portion of U.S. Highway 41 located in White  
 29 Springs in Hamilton County is hereby designated as "Dr. Martin  
 30 Luther King, Jr., Memorial Highway."

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1           (2) The Department of Transportation is directed to  
2 erect suitable markers designating Dr. Martin Luther King,  
3 Jr., Memorial Highway as described in subsection (1).

4           Section 3. Nott Circle Roundabout designated;  
5 department to erect suitable markers.--

6           (1) The roundabout at State Road 51, Walker Avenue,  
7 and County Road 136 located in Live Oak in Suwannee County is  
8 hereby designated as "Nott Circle Roundabout."

9           (2) The Department of Transportation is directed to  
10 erect suitable markers designating Nott Circle Roundabout as  
11 described in subsection (1).

12           Section 4. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Memorial  
13 Highway designated; department to erect suitable markers.--

14           (1) That portion of U.S. Highway 27 (State Road 63)  
15 inside the city limits of Havana in Gadsden County is hereby  
16 designated as the "Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Memorial  
17 Highway."

18           (2) The Department of Transportation is directed to  
19 erect two memorial signs at the north and south ends of the  
20 city limits designating Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Memorial  
21 Highway as described in subsection (1).

22           Section 5. Jim Deaton Memorial Bridge designated;  
23 markers.--

24           (1) The northbound and southbound spans of the Cedar  
25 River Bridge (bridge designations 720325 and 720326) on State  
26 Road 21 in Duval County are hereby collectively designated the  
27 "Jim Deaton Memorial Bridge."

28           (2) The Department of Transportation is directed to  
29 erect suitable markers designating the Jim Deaton Memorial  
30 Bridge as described in subsection (1).

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1           Section 6. This act shall take effect upon becoming a  
2 law.

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4                   STATEMENT OF SUBSTANTIAL CHANGES CONTAINED IN  
5                   COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR  
6                   Senate Bill 1994

7 The CS provides for the following road and bridge  
8 designations:

9 U.S. Highway 27 (State Road 63) inside the city limits of  
10 Havana in Gadsden County is designated as the "Dr. Martin  
11 Luther King, Jr., Memorial Highway."

12 The northbound and southbound spans of the Cedar River Bridge  
13 (bridge designations 720325 and 720326) on State Road 21 in  
14 Duval County are collectively designated as the "Jim Deaton  
15 Memorial Highway."

16 Also, the CS provides a Government Sector Impact requiring  
17 FDOT to incur an additional cost of approximately \$1,600 for  
18 erecting markers for the above designations. This is based on  
19 the assumption that 4 markers will be erected at a cost of  
20 \$400 per marker.  
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