

1-1 By: Bohac, et al. (Senate Sponsor - Lindsay) H.B. No. 540  
1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House March 30, 2005;  
1-3 April 5, 2005, read first time and referred to Committee on  
1-4 Transportation and Homeland Security; May 11, 2005, reported  
1-5 adversely, with favorable Committee Substitute by the following  
1-6 vote: Yeas 6, Nays 0; May 11, 2005, sent to printer.)

1-7 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR H.B. No. 540 By: Lindsay

1-8 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
1-9 AN ACT

1-10 relating to the designation of a portion of U.S. Highway 290 inside  
1-11 Harris County as the Ronald Reagan Memorial Highway.

1-12 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-13 SECTION 1. Subchapter B, Chapter 225, Transportation Code,  
1-14 is amended by adding Section 225.059 to read as follows:

1-15 Sec. 225.059. RONALD REAGAN MEMORIAL HIGHWAY. (a) The part  
1-16 of U.S. Highway 290 in Harris County between the Harris County  
1-17 boundary with Waller County and Beltway 8 is designated as the  
1-18 Ronald Reagan Memorial Highway.

1-19 (b) The department shall design and construct memorial  
1-20 markers indicating the highway number, the designation as the  
1-21 Ronald Reagan Memorial Highway, and any other appropriate  
1-22 information.

1-23 (c) The department shall erect a marker at each end of the  
1-24 highway and at appropriate intermediate sites along the highway.

1-25 (d) The department is not required to design, construct, or  
1-26 erect a marker under this section unless the department receives a  
1-27 grant or donation to cover the cost of the design, construction, and  
1-28 erection.

1-29 (e) Funds collected under Section 225.021 for the purpose of  
1-30 implementing this section shall be deposited to the credit of the  
1-31 state highway fund.

1-32 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2005.

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