

1-1 By: Smith of Harris (Senate Sponsor - Williams) H.B. No. 3844
1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House May 1, 2009;
1-3 May 6, 2009, read first time and referred to Committee on Veteran
1-4 Affairs and Military Installations; May 15, 2009, reported
1-5 favorably by the following vote: Yeas 5, Nays 0; May 15, 2009, sent
1-6 to printer.)

1-7 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
1-8 AN ACT

1-9 relating to the permissible sources of funding for memorial markers
1-10 to designate the Veterans Memorial Highway.

1-11 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-12 SECTION 1. Section 225.059(d), Transportation Code, as
1-13 added by Chapter 546 (H.B. 1136), Acts of the 79th Legislature,
1-14 Regular Session, 2005, is amended to read as follows:

1-15 (d) The department is not required to design, construct, or
1-16 erect a marker under this section unless a grant or donation of
1-17 public funds, private funds, or both is made to the department to
1-18 cover the cost of the design, construction, and erection of the
1-19 marker.

1-20 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
1-21 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
1-22 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
1-23 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
1-24 Act takes effect September 1, 2009.

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