

BILL ANALYSIS

H.B. 2351
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Transportation
Committee Report (Unamended)

BACKGROUND AND PURPOSE

There have been calls to honor the life and career of Nick S. Lingo. H.B. 2351 seeks to provide this recognition by designating a portion of Farm-to-Market Road 196 as the Nick S. Lingo Memorial Highway.

CRIMINAL JUSTICE IMPACT

It is the committee's opinion that this bill does not expressly create a criminal offense, increase the punishment for an existing criminal offense or category of offenses, or change the eligibility of a person for community supervision, parole, or mandatory supervision.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY

It is the committee's opinion that this bill does not expressly grant any additional rulemaking authority to a state officer, department, agency, or institution.

ANALYSIS

H.B. 2351 amends the Transportation Code to designate the portion of Farm-to-Market Road 196 in Lamar County between its intersection with Farm-to-Market Road 195 and its intersection with Farm-to-Market Road 1502 as the Nick S. Lingo Memorial Highway. The bill requires the Texas Department of Transportation, subject to a grant or donation of funds, to design and construct markers indicating the designation as the Nick S. Lingo Memorial Highway and any other appropriate information and to erect a marker at each end of the highway and at appropriate intermediate sites along the highway.

EFFECTIVE DATE

September 1, 2019.