By:  Cole, et al. (Senate Sponsor - Watson) H.B. No. 1821

(In the Senate - Received from the House April 29, 2019; April 30, 2019, read first time and referred to Committee on Administration; May 8, 2019, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 6, Nays 0; May 8, 2019, sent to printer.)

COMMITTEE VOTE

               Yea Nay Absent  PNV

Hughes          X

Fallon          X

Huffman         X

Johnson         X

Menéndez                  X

Nichols         X

Zaffirini       X

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the designation of a portion of State Loop 111 in Travis County as the Richard Overton Memorial Highway.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

SECTION 1.  Subchapter B, Chapter 225, Transportation Code, is amended by adding Section 225.152 to read as follows:

Sec. 225.152.  RICHARD OVERTON MEMORIAL HIGHWAY. (a) The portion of State Loop 111 in Travis County between its northern intersection with Levander Loop and its intersection with Farm-to-Market Road 969 is designated as the Richard Overton Memorial Highway. The designation is in addition to any other designation.

(b)  Subject to Section 225.021(c), the department shall:

(1)  design and construct markers indicating the designation as the Richard Overton Memorial Highway and any other appropriate information; and

(2)  erect a marker at appropriate sites along the loop.

SECTION 2.  This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2019.

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