By:  Burrows (Senate Sponsor - Seliger) H.B. No. 2577

(In the Senate - Received from the House April 29, 2019; April 29, 2019, read first time and referred to Committee on Transportation; May 13, 2019, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 8, Nays 0; May 13, 2019, sent to printer.)

COMMITTEE VOTE

                 Yea Nay Absent  PNV

Nichols           X

Hancock           X

Alvarado          X

Hinojosa          X

Kolkhorst         X

Perry             X

Rodríguez         X

Schwertner                  X

West              X

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the designation of a portion of U.S. Highway 180 in Gaines County as the Bob Ford 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.  BOB FORD MEMORIAL HIGHWAY. (a) The portion of U.S. Highway 180 in Gaines County between its intersection with Farm-to-Market Road 1757 and the eastern municipal boundary of Seminole is designated as the Bob Ford Memorial Highway.

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

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

(2)  erect a marker at each end of the highway and at appropriate intermediate sites along the highway.

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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