By:  Canales, Kitzman (Senate Sponsor - Hall) H.B. No. 3672

(In the Senate - Received from the House May 8, 2023; May 9, 2023, read first time and referred to Committee on Transportation; May 22, 2023, reported adversely, with favorable Committee Substitute by the following vote: Yeas 8, Nays 0; May 22, 2023, sent to printer.)

COMMITTEE VOTE

                 Yea Nay Absent  PNV

Nichols           X

West              X

Alvarado          X

Eckhardt          X

Hancock           X

King              X

Miles             X

Parker            X

Perry                       X

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR H.B. No. 3672 By:  Hancock

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the designation of portions of the state highway system as memorial highways for certain deceased peace officers.

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

SECTION 1.  Section 225.092(a), Transportation Code, is amended to read as follows:

(a)  Notwithstanding Section 225.001(c), the portion of Business U.S. Highway 281-S in the municipal limits of Premont [~~281 in Jim Wells County between its intersection with Farm-to-Market Road 716 and its intersection with County Road 422~~] is designated as the Lt. General Marc Cisneros Highway. The designation is in addition to any other designation.

SECTION 2.  Subchapter B, Chapter 225, Transportation Code, is amended by adding Sections 225.217, 225.218, 225.219, 225.220, 225.221, 225.222, 225.223, 225.224, and 225.225 to read as follows:

Sec. 225.217.  TROOPER RUSSELL LYNN BOYD MEMORIAL HIGHWAY. (a) The portion of U.S. Highway 290 in Waller County between its intersection with the Waller-Harris county line and its intersection with State Highway 6 is designated as the Trooper Russell Lynn Boyd 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 Trooper Russell Lynn Boyd 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.

Sec. 225.218.  RANGER STANLEY K. GUFFEY MEMORIAL HIGHWAY. (a) The portion of U.S. Highway 87 in the municipal limits of Brady is designated as the Ranger Stanley K. Guffey 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 Ranger Stanley K. Guffey 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.

Sec. 225.219.  TROOPER MILTON ALEXANDER MEMORIAL HIGHWAY. (a) The portion of Interstate Highway 35 in the municipal limits of Hillsboro is designated as the Trooper Milton Alexander 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 Trooper Milton Alexander 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.

Sec. 225.220.  TROOPER ERNESTO ALANIS MEMORIAL HIGHWAY. (a) The portion of Interstate Highway 2 in the municipal limits of McAllen is designated as the Trooper Ernesto Alanis 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 Trooper Ernesto Alanis 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.

Sec. 225.221.  TROOPER HOLLIS S. LACY MEMORIAL HIGHWAY. (a) The portion of U.S. Highway 377 in the municipal limits of Denton is designated as the Trooper Hollis S. Lacy 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 Trooper Hollis S. Lacy 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.

Sec. 225.222.  TROOPER HOWARD JORDAN MEMORIAL HIGHWAY. (a) The portion of U.S. Highway 67 in the municipal limits of Texarkana is designated as the Trooper Howard Jordan 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 Trooper Howard Jordan 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.

Sec. 225.223.  TROOPER MARK FREDERICK MEMORIAL HIGHWAY. (a) The portion of Interstate Highway 10 in Austin County between its intersection with the Austin-Waller county line and its intersection with State Highway 36 is designated as the Trooper Mark Frederick 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 Trooper Mark Frederick 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.

Sec. 225.224.  TROOPER WILLIAM KOHLLEPPEL III MEMORIAL HIGHWAY. (a) The portion of Interstate Highway 10 in Austin County between its intersection with State Highway 36 and its intersection with the Austin-Colorado county line is designated as the Trooper William Kohlleppel III 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 Trooper William Kohlleppel III 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.

Sec. 225.225.  TROOPER BILLY D. HOWRY MEMORIAL HIGHWAY. (a) The portion of Interstate Highway 35 in Williamson County between mile marker 268 and mile marker 272 is designated as the Trooper Billy D. Howry 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 Trooper Billy D. Howry 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 3.  This Act takes effect September 1, 2023.

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