

HB 605 -- MEMORIAL BRIDGE

SPONSOR: Basye

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "Do Pass" by the Standing Committee on Transportation by a vote of 13 to 0. Voted "Do Pass" by the Standing Committee on Rules- Legislative Oversight by a vote of 9 to 0.

This bill designates the bridge on U.S. Highway 63 crossing the BSNF Railroad/Marceline Sub in La Plata in the Macon County as the "U.S. Army PFC Adam L Thomas Memorial Bridge".

The costs of signs designating the highway shall be paid by private donations.

PROPONENTS: Supporters say that this is a fitting tribute for Mr. Thomas.

Testifying for the bill was Representative Basye.

OPPONENTS: Those who oppose the bill say that certain military persons should not be treated better than others.

Testifying against the bill was Arnie C. Dienoff.

Written testimony has been submitted for this bill. The full written testimony can be found under Testimony on the bill page on the House website.