

HB 1238 -- MEMORIAL HIGHWAY

SPONSOR: Reedy

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 corrects the highway description of the "Police Officer Christopher Ryan Morten Memorial Highway" located in the city of Clinton in Henry County. The current section is described as the portion of Highway 7 from County Road 221 West continuing to Calvird Drive. This bill corrects the description to read from County Road 221 West continuing to State Highway 52.

PROPONENTS: Supporters say that it is important to correct this information so that the sign can be placed in the correct location.

Testifying for the bill was Representative Reedy.

OPPONENTS: Those who oppose the bill say that dedicating portions of highways and bridges only to some people who served in the military is not fair to all persons who have served in the military.

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.