B-Engrossed House Bill 2708

Ordered by the Senate May 15 Including House Amendments dated March 1 and Senate Amendments dated May 15

Sponsored by Representatives OLSON, GELSER, Senator CLOSE (at the request of Michael Thorpe, father of Tyler Troyer USMC)

SUMMARY

The following summary is not prepared by the sponsors of the measure and is not a part of the body thereof subject to consideration by the Legislative Assembly. It is an editor's brief statement of the essential features of the measure.

Directs Department of Transportation to erect and maintain Fallen Hero roadside memorial sign for individuals killed in line of duty or who died as result of wounds received in action while serving in Armed Forces of United States. Requires payment of fee before department may erect sign.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

- 2 Relating to Oregon Route 34; creating new provisions; and amending ORS 366.932.
- 3 Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:
 - SECTION 1. (1) As used in this section, "Armed Forces of the United States" has the meaning given that term in ORS 348.282.
 - (2) Subject to subsection (3) of this section, to recognize and honor those who were killed in action or who died as a result of wounds received in action while serving in the Armed Forces of the United States, the Department of Transportation shall erect and maintain a Fallen Hero roadside memorial sign for:
 - (a) Eric McKinley, on Oregon Route 34 near milepost 50.
 - (b) Tyler Troyer, on Oregon Route 34 near milepost 4.
 - (c) Kevin Dewayne Davis, on Oregon Route 34 near milepost 15.
 - (3) The department may not erect a Fallen Hero roadside memorial sign until the department receives the payment of a fee. The department shall determine the amount of the fee by rule, except that the fee may not exceed the direct and indirect expenses associated with erecting, maintaining and removing a roadside memorial sign.
 - (4) The department shall deposit the fees that the department collects under this section into the Roadside Memorial Fund established under ORS 366.932.
 - (5) A public body, as defined in ORS 174.109, may not expend moneys for the purpose of paying the fee required under subsection (3) of this section.
 - (6) The department, by rule, shall establish the size, design and location of a roadside memorial sign erected under this section. The sign must include the name of the individual the sign is recognizing.
 - **SECTION 2.** ORS 366.932 is amended to read:
- 366.932. The Roadside Memorial Fund is established in the State Treasury, separate and distinct from the General Fund. Moneys in the Roadside Memorial Fund are continuously appropriated to

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- 1 the Department of Transportation for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of ORS 366.930 and
- 2 section 1 of this 2013 Act.

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