

2026 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 401

BY REPRESENTATIVES WRIGHT, AMEDEE, BACALA, BAMBURG, BEAULLIEU, BERAULT, BILLINGS, BOUDREAUX, BOURRIAQUE, BOYD, BOYER, BRASS, BRAUD, BROUSSARD, BRYANT, BUTLER, CARLSON, CARVER, CHASSION, CHENEVERT, COATES, COX, DESHOTEL, DEVILLIER, DICKERSON, DOMANGUE, ECHOLS, EDMONSTON, EGAN, FIRMENT, GADBERRY, GALLE, GLORIOSO, GREEN, HEBERT, DANA HENRY, HILFERTY, HORTON, MIKE JOHNSON, KNOX, LAFLEUR, JACOB LANDRY, LYONS, MCCORMICK, MCFARLAND, MCMAHEN, MCMAKIN, MURRAY, MUSCARELLO, NEWELL, OWEN, RISER, SAWYER, SCHLEGEL, ST. BLANC, STAGNI, TAYLOR, TURNER, VILLIO, WILDER, WILEY, WYBLE, AND ZERINGUE AND SENATOR MCMATH

BRIDGES/FERRIES: Designates the elevated portion of United States Highway 190 as the "Lance Corporal Justin D. McLeese Memorial Bridge"

1 AN ACT

2 To designate the elevated portion on United States Highway 190 over the Bogue Falaya
3 River in St. Tammany Parish as the "Lance Corporal Justin D. McLeese Memorial
4 Bridge"; to provide for implementation; and to provide for related matters.

5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

6 Section 1. The elevated portion on United States Highway 190 over the Bogue
7 Falaya River in the city of Covington, parish of St. Tammany, shall be known and is hereby
8 designated as the "Lance Corporal Justin D. McLeese Memorial Bridge".

9 Section 2. The Department of Transportation and Development or its contractors are
10 hereby directed to erect and maintain appropriate signage reflecting this designation
11 provided local or private monies are received by the department equal to the department's
12 actual cost for material, fabrication, mounting posts, and installation of the signage, not to
13 exceed the sum of two thousand two hundred fifty dollars per sign.

DIGEST

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HB 401 Reengrossed

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Wright

Designates the bridge on U.S. Hwy. 190 over the Bogue Falaya River in the city of Covington, parish of St. Tammany, as the "Lance Corporal Justin D. McLeese Memorial Bridge".

Directs the Dept. of Transportation and Development (DOTD) or its contractors to erect and maintain appropriate signage reflecting this highway designation provided local or private monies are received by the DOTD equal to its actual costs for material, fabrication, mounting posts, and installation of the signage, not to exceed the sum of \$2,250 per sign.

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House**The House Floor Amendments to the engrossed bill:**

1. Make technical changes.