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MEMORANDUM

To: Members of the House Committee on Transportation
From: Office of Revisor of Statutes
Date: February 4, 2025
Subject: Bill Brief – HB 2105

HB 2105 designates a portion of United States highway 77 as the POW MIA memorial highway and a bridge in Clay County as the POW MIA memorial bridge.

Section 1 provides that the POW MIA memorial highway will be designated on the portion of United State highway 77 beginning in Geary County from the junction of U.S. 77 and I-70 then will go north to the western junction of U.S. 77 and K-24 highway and then begins again on U.S. 77 from the eastern junction of U.S. 77 and K-24 then go north to its junction with K-16 highway.

Section 2 provides that the POW MIA memorial bridge will be designated on Bridge No. 82-14-6.88 (026) located on K-82 highway in Clay County.

Highway signs designating the highway and bridge will not be placed until the requirements of K.S.A. 68-10,114 are met. K.S.A. 68-10,114 provides that the secretary of transportation should not place any signs designating memorial highways or bridges until receiving sufficient funds from gifts and donations to cover the costs of those signs. Additionally, the secretary must receive an additional 50% of the initial cost to pay for future maintenance or replacement costs for the signs.