

HOUSE BILL No. 2502

By Committee on Transportation

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1 AN ACT concerning roads and highways; designating a portion of United
2 States highway 77 as the Cpl. Allen E. Oatney and SP4 Gene A. Myers
3 memorial highway; amending K.S.A. 68-1022 and repealing the
4 existing section.

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6 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:*

7 New Section 1. The portion of United States highway 77 from the
8 eastern city limits of the city of Blue Rapids then west to the junction of
9 United States highway 77 with K-9 highway in Marshall county is hereby
10 designated as the Cpl. Allen E. Oatney and SP4 Gene A. Myers memorial
11 highway. Upon compliance with K.S.A. 68-10,114, and amendments
12 thereto, the secretary of transportation shall place suitable signs to indicate
13 that the highway is the Cpl. Allen E. Oatney and SP4 Gene A. Myers
14 memorial highway.

15 Sec. 2. K.S.A. 68-1022 is hereby amended to read as follows: 68-
16 1022. It shall be the duty of the secretary of transportation to designate and
17 mark by suitable signs, those portions of established highways ~~which~~ *that*
18 traverse the state from the historic Hollenberg pony express station near
19 the city of Hanover to the old cattle shipping town of Elgin, and
20 connecting historic sites on the Oregon trail and the cities of Council
21 Grove and Cottonwood Falls, as the prairie parkway, which highways are
22 described as follows: Beginning at the Hollenberg pony express station
23 east of Hanover on highway K-243; thence west to highway K-15E and
24 south on K-15E to its junction with highway U.S. 36; thence east on
25 highway U.S. 36 to its junction with highway U.S. 77; thence south on
26 highway U.S. 77 to that highway's junction with *the eastern city limits of*
27 *the city of Blue Rapids in Marshall county; thence south on highway U.S.*
28 *77 from its junction with highway K-9 in Marshall county to its junction*
29 *with highway K-16 just north of Randolph; thence east on highway K-16*
30 *to a junction with Pottawatomie county federal aid secondary route 1208,*
31 *one-half mile east of Olsburg, Pottawatomie county, Kansas; thence on*
32 *F.A.S. route 1208 in a southerly direction approximately five and one-half*
33 *miles; thence southeasterly to the junction of highway K-13 and F.A.S.*
34 *route 1208; thence south and southwest on highway K-13 to that highway's*
35 *junction with highway U.S. 24; thence following K-177 south from the*
36 *junction of K-177 highway with interstate highway 70 to El Dorado;*

1 thence south on U.S. 77 - U.S. 54 to the east junction with U.S. 400;
2 thence east on U.S. 400 from the western boundary of Greenwood county
3 to its junction with highway K-99 near Severy; thence south on K-99 to
4 the southern Kansas border near the city of Chautauqua.

5 Sec. 3. K.S.A. 68-1022 is hereby repealed.

6 Sec. 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its
7 publication in the statute book.