HB 1687 -- MEMORIAL HIGHWAY

SPONSOR: Hardwick

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "Do Pass" by the Standing Committee on Public Safety by a vote of 6 to 0.

This bill designates the "Chief of Police Ferman R Raines Memorial Highway" on a portion of State Highway 17 in Waynesville in Pulaski County. The cost of signage will be paid by private donations.

This bill is the same as HB 1509 (2020).

PROPONENTS: Supporters say that this designates a portion of Highway 17 as a memorial highway. Chief of Waynesville police department and was killed in 1988. He was a WWII veteran.

Testifying for the bill were Representative Hardwick and William H Kraus.

OPPONENTS: Those who oppose the bill submitted their testimony in writing, which can be found online.

Testifying against the bill was Arnie C. Ac Dienoff.

OTHERS: Others testifying on the bill submitted their testimony in writing, which can be found online.

Testifying on the bill was Cheryl Butler Long.

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.