

HB 1221 -- CHIEF OF POLICE JERRY E. HICKS MEMORIAL HIGHWAY

SPONSOR: Black

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "do pass by consent" by the Committee on Transportation by a vote of 11 to 0.

This bill designates the portion of State Highway 8 in St. Francois County from the intersection of Hunt Street east for one mile as the "Chief of Police Jerry E. Hicks Memorial Highway." The Department of Transportation must erect and maintain the appropriate signs with the costs to be paid for by private donations.

FISCAL NOTE: No impact on state funds in FY 2013, FY 2014, and FY 2015.

PROPOSERS: Supporters say that he was a very distinguished police chief and is deserving of this special recognition.

Testifying for the bill was Representative Black.

OPPOSERS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.