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RESOLUTION FOR TROOPER G.T. DAVIS, JR.

WHEREAS, Trooper G. T. Davis, Jr. served the people of North Carolina from 1947 through 1975 as a member of the North Carolina State Highway Patrol; and

WHEREAS, Trooper Davis was killed during an assault while performing his duties in Martin County on September 2, 1975; and

WHEREAS, Trooper Davis was a model highway patrolman and citizen of Bertie County who gave his life to ensure that the highways of Bertie County and North Carolina were safe for its citizens; and

WHEREAS, the North Carolina State Highway Patrol, the Bertie and Martin County boards of commissioners, the towns of Windsor and Williamston and the Windsor Lions Club have passed resolutions asking the N.C. Board of Transportation to honor Trooper Davis.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved:

That the North Carolina Board of Transportation name the bridge on U.S. 17 over the Roanoke River between Bertie and Martin counties the *Trooper G. T. Davis, Jr. Bridge* for his dedication to his community and his state.

That appropriate signs be erected at a suitable time.

Adopted, this the sixth day of August 1999, by the North Carolina Board of Transportation.

Secretary of Transportation