



**House Transportation and Public Safety Committee
House Bill 690 Sponsor Testimony
Representative Catherine Ingram
Designate Hamilton County Veterans Memorial Highway
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Chairman Green, Vice Chairman Greenspan, Ranking Member Sheehy and members of the Transportation and Public Safety Committee, thank you for the opportunity to provide sponsor testimony on House Bill 690, which would name a portion of Interstate Route 75 in Hamilton County as the "Hamilton County Veterans Memorial Highway".

Just a few days ago, this nation recognized the bravery and sacrifices of our veterans. It is my belief that all veterans, no matter what war they fought in should be celebrated. We enjoy our freedom because of their willingness to serve their country, sacrifice their safety, and sometimes, make the ultimate sacrifice.

HB 690 calls for the stretch of roadway of Interstate Route 75 between Crescentville Road and the Kentucky border, in Hamilton County. Therefore, I respectfully ask that this committee pass House Bill 690 to memorialize some of our community's greatest heroes. Thank you for your time and consideration and I will now take any questions you may have.