

SB 349 - AS INTRODUCED

2022 SESSION

22-3108

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SENATE BILL

349

AN ACT

requiring the legislature to give preference to deceased military veterans and first responders in the naming of bridges.

SPONSORS:

Sen. Avar, Dist 12; Sen. Bradley, Dist 3; Sen. Birdsell, Dist 19; Sen. Carson, Dist 14; Sen. Prentiss, Dist 5; Sen. Hennessey, Dist 1; Sen. Gannon, Dist 23; Rep. Homola, Hills. 27; Rep. Edwards, Rock. 4; Rep. Baldasaro, Rock. 5

COMMITTEE:

Transportation

ANALYSIS

This bill requires the legislature to give preference to deceased military veterans and first responders in the process of naming a bridge.

Explanation:

Matter added to current law appears in ***bold italics***.

Matter removed from current law appears ~~[in brackets and struckthrough]~~

Matter which is either (a) all new or (b) repealed and reenacted appears in regular type.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

In the Year of Our Lord Two Thousand Twenty Two

AN ACT requiring the legislature to give preference to deceased military veterans and first responders in the naming of bridges.

Be it Enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened:

1 1 Powers of the Governor and Council; Naming of Certain Buildings and Formations; Preference
2 in Naming. Amend RSA 4:43, I to read as follows:

3 I. No state park, bridge, mountain, road, river, or body of water under the control of the
4 state, shall be renamed without legislative approval. ***Insofar as practicable, when considering***
5 ***names for bridges, the legislature shall give preference to deceased military veterans, and***
6 ***emergency response/public safety workers as defined in RSA 281-A:2, V-c.***

7 2 Effective Date. This act shall take effect 60 days after its passage.