Nichols Fallen Veterans Memorial Interchange; HB 2614

HB 2614 designates the junction of I-70 and US-183, in Hays, as the CW2 Bryan J. Nichols Fallen Veterans Memorial Interchange. According to testimony, Chief Warrant Officer 2 Nichols, a helicopter pilot, was a native of Hays who died in Afghanistan in August 2011. He served in the U.S. Army Reserves. The bill requires the Secretary of Transportation to receive $13,740 from donations to cover costs of placing and maintaining the signs before the Department of Transportation installs any signs indicating the designations.