

**Fifty-fifth Legislative Assembly, State of North Dakota, begun in the Capitol in the City of Bismarck, on Monday, the sixth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and ninety-seven**

HOUSE BILL NO. 1314  
(Representatives Martinson, Nicholas, Hausauer)  
(Senators Lips, Nething, Redlin)

AN ACT to designate the training facility located at Camp Grafton (South) as the Major General C. Emerson Murry regional live fire and maneuver training center.

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:**

**SECTION 1. DECLARATION OF PURPOSE.** The legislative assembly finds it is in the public interest to recognize citizens of North Dakota whose achievements and contributions are of material and lasting significance to this state. Major General C. Emerson Murry is such a person. He enlisted in the army in 1942, saw combat in the 17th and 82nd airborne divisions for which he received numerous United States and foreign awards including the distinguished service medal, legion of merit, presidential unit citation, and bronze star with "V" device, served in the North Dakota national guard from 1955 to 1984, and served as adjutant general from 1975 to 1984. During his tenure as adjutant general, North Dakota ranked first in the nation in percentage of assigned strength, the North Dakota national guard was recognized as the strongest national guard in the nation, and the guard implemented a tuition assistance program that has assisted hundreds of young people in achieving college educations. Major General Murry had many other accomplishments in his professional career, including service as director of the legislative council from 1951 to 1975, during which time he served as chairman of the national legislative conference. He also served as manager of the Garrison diversion conservancy district from 1985 to 1993.

**SECTION 2. TRAINING FACILITY DESIGNATED.** The training facility located at Camp Grafton (South) is to remain a part of the overall Camp Grafton training complex but is designated as the Major General C. Emerson Murry regional live fire and maneuver training center.

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Speaker of the House

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President of the Senate

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Chief Clerk of the House

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Secretary of the Senate

This certifies that the within bill originated in the House of Representatives of the Fifty-fifth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota and is known on the records of that body as House Bill No. 1314.

House Vote:      Yeas    96      Nays    0      Absent    1

Senate Vote:    Yeas    46      Nays    0      Absent    3

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Chief Clerk of the House

Received by the Governor at \_\_\_\_\_ M. on \_\_\_\_\_, 1997.

Approved at \_\_\_\_\_ M. on \_\_\_\_\_, 1997.

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Governor

Filed in this office this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1997,

at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock \_\_\_\_\_ M.

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Secretary of State