

**House Transportation Committee
69th Legislative Session
Representative Ruby-Chair**

Chairman Ruby and House Transportation Committee,

Please accept this testimony in support of HB 1091.

Intent of this bill...

- Provide lasting recognition and appreciation to the North Dakota Service Men and Women who have died for our Country in time of war.
- March 06, 1968, US Army Specialist 4 David John LaTraille died in Thua Thien South Vietnam from hostile small arms fire while serving with company E, 1st Battalion, 502nd Parachute Infantry Regiment of the 101st Airborne Division.
 - He is buried in St. Johns Cemetery-Grafton ND.



David LaTraille

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Need for bill...

- Keep their memory alive.
- Recognition to the family and friends they left behind.
- Community involvement in the process.

I support this bill and encourage the ND 69th Legislative Assembly to allow all bridges in ND be named after a Fallen ND Service Man or Woman.

Thank you for your consideration.

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