

**House Transportation Committee  
68<sup>th</sup> Legislative Session  
Representative Ruby-Chair**

Chairman Ruby and House Transportation Committee,

Please accept this testimony in support of HB 1351.

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.
- PVT Albert Grass-WWI Silver Star recipient KIA July 18, 1918.

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 68<sup>th</sup> 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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