

**CHAPTER 335**

**H.B. No. 2516**

An Act relating to designating State Highway 288 as the Brazoria Parkway.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:*

**SECTION 1.** Title 116, Revised Statutes, is amended by adding Article 6673e-6 to read as follows:

*Art. 6673e-6. BRAZORIA PARKWAY*

*Sec. 1. DESIGNATION OF THE HIGHWAY.* State Highway 288, from the Brazoria County line to Freeport, is designated the Brazoria Parkway.

*Sec. 2. MARKERS.* (a) The State Department of Highways and Public Transportation shall design and construct memorial markers to be placed along State Highway 288 indicating its designation as the Brazoria Parkway.

(b) The markers shall include the highway number and any other information that the department determines is appropriate.

(c) Markers shall be erected at each end of the highway and at intermediate sites that the department determines are appropriate. The intermediate sites may not be farther apart than 100 miles.

(d) The department is responsible for repair and replacement of the markers and for maintenance of the grounds surrounding each marker.

(e) The department may accept grants and donations from individuals and other entities to assist in financing the construction and maintenance of the markers.

**SECTION 2.** The importance of this legislation and the crowded condition of the calendars in both houses create an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each house be suspended, and this rule is hereby suspended, and that this Act take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

Passed by the House on May 24, 1985, by the following vote: Yeas 147, Nays 1, 1 present, not voting; passed by the Senate on May 26, 1985, by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

Approved: June 8, 1985

Effective: Immediately