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3 By Senator Barron  
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5 First Read: 08-APR-10

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4 ENROLLED, SJR144,

5 DESIGNATING THE SECTION OF ALABAMA HIGHWAY 35

6 BETWEEN 8TH STREET NORTHEAST IN THE CITY OF FORT PAYNE AND THE

7 CITY LIMIT OF FORT PAYNE THE ALABAMA PARKWAY.

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9 WHEREAS, the Alabama Legislature wishes to  
10 commemorate the contributions of legendary music group Alabama  
11 to the music industry, the City of Fort Payne, and the State  
12 of Alabama by naming a highway in the group's honor; and

13 WHEREAS, native to the City of Fort Payne, the  
14 members of Alabama have been giants in their field for more  
15 than 30 years, producing 21 gold, platinum, and multi-platinum  
16 albums and 42 number one singles and selling more than 73  
17 million records; over their legendary careers, the band  
18 members have garnered hundreds of industry recognitions,  
19 including eight Entertainer of the Year awards, two Grammy  
20 awards, two People's Choice awards, and a star on the famous  
21 Hollywood Walk of Fame; in 2005, Alabama was inducted into the  
22 Country Music Hall of Fame; and

23 WHEREAS, in addition to professional honors too  
24 numerous to mention, the members of Alabama are exemplary  
25 citizens and ambassadors for our State and remain active in

1 civic, political, and philanthropic affairs; we are privileged  
2 to memorialize their careers in this fashion; now therefore,

3 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH  
4 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That the section of Alabama Highway  
5 35 between 8th Street Northeast in Fort Payne and the city  
6 limit of Fort Payne is hereby designated the Alabama Parkway  
7 and that the proper officials are requested to place and  
8 maintain markers bearing the band's official logo and  
9 designating the Alabama Parkway as provided in this  
10 resolution.

11 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a copy of this  
12 resolution be provided as a memento of this honorary  
13 designation by the Alabama Legislature.

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President and Presiding Officer of the Senate

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Speaker of the House of Representatives

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I hereby certify that the within Senate Joint Resolution  
originated in and was adopted by the Senate.

McDowell Lee  
Secretary

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House of Representatives  
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