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3 By Representative Stringer  
4 RFD: Rules  
5 First Read: 18-FEB-20

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8 NAMING THE BRIDGE AT THE 158 EXTENSION OVER THE  
9 SEABURY CREEK IN MOBILE COUNTY THE MARSHALL JAMES WALTON  
10 MEMORIAL BRIDGE.

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12 WHEREAS, in honor of the life of Marshall James  
13 Walton of Mobile, Alabama, it is appropriate to name the  
14 bridge at the 158 extension over the Seabury Creek in Mobile  
15 County, the Marshall James Walton Memorial Bridge; and

16 WHEREAS, he was a graduate of St. Paul's Episcopal  
17 School where he was an outstanding soccer player who scored 62  
18 goals during his four years there; in 2018, he was named to  
19 the St. Paul's Episcopal Athletic Hall of Fame; and

20 WHEREAS, he attended the University of Mississippi  
21 where he studied business administration; and

22 WHEREAS, he was employed by his father's company,  
23 John G. Walton Construction; and

24 WHEREAS, there is a scholarship at the University of  
25 South Alabama named to honor his memory for graduates of St.  
26 Paul's Episcopal School; and

1                   WHEREAS, he lost his life in an on-site construction  
2 accident; he was dearly loved and is sorely missed by his  
3 family and friends; now therefore,

4                   BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH  
5 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That in honor of Marshall James  
6 Walton, we declare that the bridge on the 158 extension over  
7 the Seabury Creek in Mobile County, be named in perpetuity the  
8 Marshall James Walton Memorial Bridge.

9                   BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Department of  
10 Transportation is requested to determine the cost of  
11 fabricating and erecting the appropriate signs or markers,  
12 consistent with the applicable requirements and laws, and upon  
13 receiving funds from non-state sources covering the cost, to  
14 erect signs or markers as provided in this resolution in  
15 recognition of this memorial designation.