

House Resolution 1605

By: Representatives Hill of the 21st, Byrd of the 20th, Hamilton of the 23rd, and Jerguson of the 22nd

A RESOLUTION

1 Requesting the Department of Transportation to do a safety evaluation and perform necessary
2 repair work; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the safety of the children and citizens in our district are of the utmost
4 importance; and

5 WHEREAS, the condition of the roadside shoulders along SR 140 and SR 20 in Cherokee
6 County need to be evaluated to determine the necessity for repair or improvements; and

7 WHEREAS, on Monday, March 3, 2008, there was a school bus accident on SR 140 and
8 there is speculation that a narrow roadside shoulder width contributed to the accident; and

9 WHEREAS, the condition of the shoulder on SR 140 is similar to the condition of the
10 shoulder on SR 20; and

11 WHEREAS, the following members of the House Cherokee County legislative delegation
12 strongly urge the Department of Transportation to evaluate the condition of the roadside
13 shoulders along SR 140 and SR 20 in Cherokee County and if it is found that repairs are
14 warranted, that they be made as soon as possible:

15 Charlice Byrd, District 20

16 Calvin Hill, District 21

17 Sean Jerguson, District 22

18 Mark Hamilton, District 23

19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
20 the members of this body support the members of the House Cherokee County legislative
21 delegation in requesting the Department of Transportation to evaluate the condition of the
22 roadside shoulders on SR 140 and SR 20 in Cherokee County and perform any needed
23 repairs in a timely manner.

1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
2 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the Department of
3 Transportation.