

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA  
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**HOUSE DRH50328-MAF-367 (03/26)**

Short Title: Neuse River Foundation Special Plate. (Public)

Sponsors: Representative Underhill.

Referred to:

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
2 AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO PRODUCE A  
3 SPECIAL PLATE FOR THE NEUSE RIVER FOUNDATION.

4 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

5 **SECTION 1.** G.S. 20-79.4(b) reads as rewritten:

6 "(b) Types. – The Division shall issue the following types of special registration plates:

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8 (89c) Neuse River Foundation. – Issuable to the registered owner of a motor  
9 vehicle in accordance with G.S. 20-81.12. The plate shall bear the name of  
10 the Neuse River Foundation.

11 ...."

12 **SECTION 2.** G.S. 20-79.7(a) reads as rewritten:

13 **"§ 20-79.7. Fees for special registration plates and distribution of the fees.**

14 (a) Fees. – Upon request, the Division shall provide and issue free of charge one  
15 registration plate to a recipient of a Legion of Valor award, a 100% disabled veteran, and an  
16 ex-prisoner of war. All other special registration plates, including additional Legion of Valor,  
17 100% Disabled Veteran, and Ex-Prisoner of War plates, are subject to the regular motor vehicle  
18 registration fee in G.S. 20-87 or G.S. 20-88 plus an additional fee in the following amount:

<u>Special Plate</u>	<u>Additional Fee Amount</u>
Back Country Horsemen of NC	\$30.00
Coastal Conservation Association	\$30.00
Crystal Coast	\$30.00
El Pueblo	\$30.00
First in Forestry	\$30.00
Historical Attraction	\$30.00
Home Care and Hospice	\$30.00
HOMES4NC	\$30.00
Hospice Care	\$30.00
In God We Trust	\$30.00
Maggie Valley Trout Festival	\$30.00
National Kidney Foundation	\$30.00
<u>Neuse River Foundation</u>	<u>\$30.00</u>
North Carolina 4-H Development Fund	\$30.00
North Carolina Libraries	\$30.00
Personalized	\$30.00



1	Share the Road	\$30.00
2	State Attraction	\$30.00
3	Stock Car Racing Theme	\$30.00
4	Support Our Troops	\$30.00
5	AIDS Awareness	\$25.00
6	Buffalo Soldiers	\$25.00
7	Collegiate Insignia	\$25.00
8	Goodness Grows	\$25.00
9	High School Insignia	\$25.00
10	Kids First	\$25.00
11	Olympic Games	\$25.00
12	National Multiple Sclerosis Society	\$25.00
13	National Wild Turkey Federation	\$25.00
14	NC Agribusiness	\$25.00
15	NC Children's Promise	\$25.00
16	NC Coastal Federation	\$30.00
17	Nurses	\$25.00
18	Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation	\$25.00
19	Special Olympics	\$25.00
20	Surveyor Plate	\$25.00
21	The V Foundation for Cancer Research Division	\$25.00
22	University Health Systems of Eastern Carolina	\$25.00
23	Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity	\$20.00
24	ALS Association, Jim "Catfish" Hunter Chapter	\$20.00
25	Animal Lovers	\$20.00
26	ARC of North Carolina	\$20.00
27	Audubon North Carolina	\$20.00
28	Autism Society of North Carolina	\$20.00
29	Be Active NC	\$20.00
30	Brain Injury Awareness	\$20.00
31	Breast Cancer Earlier Detection	\$20.00
32	Buddy Pelletier Surfing Foundation	\$20.00
33	Daughters of the American Revolution	\$20.00
34	Ducks Unlimited	\$20.00
35	Greyhound Friends of North Carolina	\$20.00
36	Guilford Battleground Company	\$20.00
37	Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation	\$20.00
38	Harley Owners' Group	\$20.00
39	Litter Prevention	\$20.00
40	March of Dimes	\$20.00
41	NC Tennis Foundation	\$20.00
42	NC Trout Unlimited	\$20.00
43	NC Wildlife Habitat Foundation	\$20.00
44	Omega Psi Phi Fraternity	\$20.00
45	Prince Hall Mason	\$20.00
46	Save the Sea Turtles	\$20.00
47	Scenic Rivers	\$20.00
48	School Technology	\$20.00
49	SCUBA	\$20.00
50	Soil and Water Conservation	\$20.00
51	Special Forces Association	\$20.00

1	Support Public Schools	\$20.00
2	US Equine Rescue League	\$20.00
3	Wildlife Resources	\$20.00
4	Zeta Phi Beta Sorority	\$20.00
5	Carolina's Aviation Museum	\$15.00
6	Leukemia & Lymphoma Society	\$15.00
7	Lung Cancer Research	\$15.00
8	Shag Dancing	\$15.00
9	Active Member of the National Guard	None
10	100% Disabled Veteran	None
11	Ex-Prisoner of War	None
12	Gold Star Lapel Button	None
13	Legion of Valor	None
14	Purple Heart Recipient	None
15	Silver Star Recipient	None
16	All Other Special Plates	\$10.00."

17 **SECTION 3.** G.S. 20-79.7(b) reads as rewritten:

18 "(b) Distribution of Fees. – The Special Registration Plate Account and the Collegiate  
19 and Cultural Attraction Plate Account are established within the Highway Fund. The Division  
20 must credit the additional fee imposed for the special registration plates listed in subsection (a)  
21 among the Special Registration Plate Account (SRPA), the Collegiate and Cultural Attraction  
22 Plate Account (CCAPA), the Natural Heritage Trust Fund (NHTF), which is established under  
23 G.S. 113-77.7, and the Parks and Recreation Trust Fund, which is established under  
24 G.S. 113-44.15, as follows:

25	<u>Special Plate</u>	<u>SRPA</u>	<u>CCAPA</u>	<u>NHTF</u>	<u>PRTF</u>
26	AIDS Awareness	\$10	\$15	0	0
27	Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity	\$10	\$10	0	0
28	ALS Association, Jim "Catfish" Hunter				
29	Chapter	\$10	\$10	0	0
30	Animal Lovers	\$10	\$10	0	0
31	ARC of North Carolina	\$10	\$10	0	0
32	Audubon North Carolina	\$10	\$10	0	0
33	Autism Society of North Carolina	\$10	\$10	0	0
34	Back Country Horsemen of NC	\$10	\$20	0	0
35	Be Active NC	\$10	\$10	0	0
36	Brain Injury Awareness	\$10	\$10	0	0
37	Breast Cancer Earlier Detection	\$10	\$10	0	0
38	Buddy Pelletier Surfing				
39	Foundation	\$10	\$10	0	0
40	Buffalo Soldiers	\$10	\$15	0	0
41	Carolina's Aviation Museum	\$10	\$5	0	0
42	Coastal Conservation Association	\$10	\$20	0	0
43	Crystal Coast	\$10	\$20	0	0
44	Daughters of the American				
45	Revolution	\$10	\$10	0	0
46	Ducks Unlimited	\$10	\$10	0	0
47	El Pueblo	\$10	\$20	0	0
48	First in Forestry	\$10	\$10	\$10	0
49	Goodness Grows	\$10	\$15	0	0
50	Greyhound Friends of North				
51	Carolina	\$10	\$10	0	0

1	Guilford Battleground Company	\$10	\$10	0	0
2	Harley Owners' Group	\$10	\$10	0	0
3	High School Insignia	\$10	\$15	0	0
4	Historical Attraction	\$10	\$20	0	0
5	Home Care and Hospice	\$10	\$20	0	0
6	HOMES4NC	\$10	\$20	0	0
7	Hospice Care	\$10	\$20	0	0
8	In God We Trust	\$10	\$20	0	0
9	In-State Collegiate Insignia	\$10	\$15	0	0
10	Juvenile Diabetes Research				
11	Foundation	\$10	\$10	0	0
12	Kids First	\$10	\$15	0	0
13	Leukemia & Lymphoma Society	\$10	\$5	0	0
14	Litter Prevention	\$10	\$10	0	0
15	Lung Cancer Research	\$10	\$5	0	0
16	Maggie Valley Trout Festival	\$10	\$20	0	0
17	March of Dimes	\$10	\$10	0	0
18	National Kidney Foundation	\$10	\$20	0	0
19	National Multiple Sclerosis				
20	Society	\$10	\$15	0	0
21	National Wild Turkey Federation	\$10	\$15	0	0
22	NC Agribusiness	\$10	\$15	0	0
23	NC Children's Promise	\$10	\$15	0	0
24	NC Coastal Federation	\$10	\$20	0	0
25	NC 4-H Development Fund	\$10	\$20	0	0
26	NC Tennis Foundation	\$10	\$10	0	0
27	NC Trout Unlimited	\$10	\$10	0	0
28	North Carolina Libraries	\$10	\$20	0	0
29	NC Wildlife Habitat Foundation	\$10	\$10	0	0
30	<u>Neuse River Foundation</u>	<u>\$10</u>	<u>\$20</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
31	Nurses	\$10	\$15	0	0
32	Olympic Games	\$10	\$15	0	0
33	Omega Psi Phi Fraternity	\$10	\$10	0	0
34	Out-of-state Collegiate Insignia	\$10	0	\$15	0
35	Personalized	\$10	0	\$15	\$5
36	Prince Hall Mason	\$10	\$10	0	0
37	Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation	\$10	\$15	0	0
38	Save the Sea Turtles	\$10	\$10	0	0
39	Scenic Rivers	\$10	\$10	0	0
40	School Technology	\$10	\$10	0	0
41	SCUBA	\$10	\$10	0	0
42	Shag Dancing	\$10	\$5	0	0
43	Share the Road	\$10	\$20	0	0
44	Soil and Water Conservation	\$10	\$10	0	0
45	Special Forces Association	\$10	\$10	0	0
46	Special Olympics	\$10	\$15	0	0
47	State Attraction	\$10	\$20	0	0
48	Stock Car Racing Theme	\$10	\$20	0	0
49	Support Our Troops	\$10	\$20	0	0
50	Support Public Schools	\$10	\$10	0	0
51	Surveyor Plate	\$10	\$15	0	0

1	The V Foundation for Cancer				
2	Research	\$10	\$15	0	0
3	University Health Systems of				
4	Eastern Carolina	\$10	\$15	0	0
5	US Equine Rescue League	\$10	\$10	0	0
6	Wildlife Resources	\$10	\$10	0	0
7	Zeta Phi Beta Sorority	\$10	\$10	0	0
8	All other Special Plates	\$10	0	0	0."

9           **SECTION 4.** G.S. 20-81.12 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

10           "(b73) Neuse River Foundation. – The Division must receive 300 or more applications for  
 11 the Neuse River Foundation plate before the plate may be developed. The Division shall  
 12 transfer quarterly the money in the Collegiate and Cultural Attraction Plate Account derived  
 13 from the sale of Neuse River Foundation plates to the Neuse River Foundation, Inc., to provide  
 14 funding for the cleanup, preservation, and oversight of the Neuse River and the river's  
 15 watersheds and basins."

16           **SECTION 5.** This act becomes effective July 1, 2009.