

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA  
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**HOUSE BILL 2106**

Short Title: Pamlico/Tar River Foundation Special Plate. (Public)

Sponsors: Representatives McLawhorn, E. Warren (Primary Sponsors); and Harrison.

Referred to: Transportation, if favorable, Finance.

May 15, 2008

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO PRODUCE  
A SPECIAL PLATE FOR THE PAMLICO-TAR RIVER FOUNDATION.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

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

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

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(92a) Pamlico-Tar River Foundation. – Issuable to the registered owner of a motor vehicle in accordance with G.S. 20-81.12. The plate shall bear the name of the foundation.

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

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

(a) Fees. – Upon request, the Division shall provide and issue free of charge one registration plate to a recipient of a Legion of Valor award, a 100% disabled veteran, and an ex-prisoner of war. All other special registration plates, including additional Legion of Valor, 100% Disabled Veteran, and Ex-Prisoner of War plates, are subject to the regular motor vehicle 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

1	HOMES4NC	\$30.00
2	Hospice Care	\$30.00
3	In God We Trust	\$30.00
4	Maggie Valley Trout Festival	\$30.00
5	National Kidney Foundation	\$30.00
6	North Carolina 4-H Development Fund	\$30.00
7	North Carolina Libraries	\$30.00
8	<u>Pamlico-Tar River Foundation</u>	<u>\$30.00</u>
9	Personalized	\$30.00
10	Share the Road	\$30.00
11	State Attraction	\$30.00
12	Stock Car Racing Theme	\$30.00
13	Support Our Troops	\$30.00
14	AIDS Awareness	\$25.00
15	Buffalo Soldiers	\$25.00
16	Collegiate Insignia	\$25.00
17	Goodness Grows	\$25.00
18	High School Insignia	\$25.00
19	Kids First	\$25.00
20	Olympic Games	\$25.00
21	National Multiple Sclerosis Society	\$25.00
22	National Wild Turkey Federation	\$25.00
23	NC Agribusiness	\$25.00
24	NC Children's Promise	\$25.00
25	NC Coastal Federation	\$30.00
26	Nurses	\$25.00
27	Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation	\$25.00
28	Special Olympics	\$25.00
29	Surveyor Plate	\$25.00
30	The V Foundation for Cancer Research Division	\$25.00
31	University Health Systems of Eastern Carolina	\$25.00
32	Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity	\$20.00
33	ALS Association, Jim "Catfish" Hunter Chapter	\$20.00
34	Animal Lovers	\$20.00
35	ARC of North Carolina	\$20.00
36	Audubon North Carolina	\$20.00
37	Autism Society of North Carolina	\$20.00
38	Be Active NC	\$20.00
39	Brain Injury Awareness	\$20.00
40	Breast Cancer Earlier Detection	\$20.00
41	Buddy Pelletier Surfing Foundation	\$20.00
42	Daughters of the American Revolution	\$20.00
43	Ducks Unlimited	\$20.00
44	Greyhound Friends of North Carolina	\$20.00

1	Guilford Battleground Company	\$20.00
2	Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation	\$20.00
3	Harley Owners' Group	\$20.00
4	Litter Prevention	\$20.00
5	March of Dimes	\$20.00
6	NC Tennis Foundation	\$20.00
7	NC Trout Unlimited	\$20.00
8	NC Wildlife Habitat Foundation	\$20.00
9	Omega Psi Phi Fraternity	\$20.00
10	Prince Hall Mason	\$20.00
11	Save the Sea Turtles	\$20.00
12	Scenic Rivers	\$20.00
13	School Technology	\$20.00
14	SCUBA	\$20.00
15	Soil and Water Conservation	\$20.00
16	Special Forces Association	\$20.00
17	Support Public Schools	\$20.00
18	US Equine Rescue League	\$20.00
19	Wildlife Resources	\$20.00
20	Zeta Phi Beta Sorority	\$20.00
21	Carolina's Aviation Museum	\$15.00
22	Leukemia & Lymphoma Society	\$15.00
23	Lung Cancer Research	\$15.00
24	Shag Dancing	\$15.00
25	Active Member of the National Guard	None
26	100% Disabled Veteran	None
27	Ex-Prisoner of War	None
28	Gold Star Lapel Button	None
29	Legion of Valor	None
30	Purple Heart Recipient	None
31	Silver Star Recipient	None
32	All Other Special Plates	\$10.00."

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

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

	<u>SRPA</u>	<u>CCAPA</u>	<u>NHTF</u>	<u>PRTF</u>
41 <u>Special Plate</u>				
42        AIDS Awareness	\$10	\$15	0	0
43        Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity	\$10	\$10	0	0
44        ALS Association, Jim "Catfish" Hunter				

1	Chapter	\$10	\$10	0	0
2	Animal Lovers	\$10	\$10	0	0
3	ARC of North Carolina	\$10	\$10	0	0
4	Audubon North Carolina	\$10	\$10	0	0
5	Autism Society of North Carolina	\$10	\$10	0	0
6	Back Country Horsemen of NC	\$10	\$20	0	0
7	Be Active NC	\$10	\$10	0	0
8	Brain Injury Awareness	\$10	\$10	0	0
9	Breast Cancer Earlier Detection	\$10	\$10	0	0
10	Buddy Pelletier Surfing				
11	Foundation	\$10	\$10	0	0
12	Buffalo Soldiers	\$10	\$15	0	0
13	Carolina's Aviation Museum	\$10	\$5	0	0
14	Coastal Conservation Association	\$10	\$20	0	0
15	Crystal Coast	\$10	\$20	0	0
16	Daughters of the American				
17	Revolution	\$10	\$10	0	0
18	Ducks Unlimited	\$10	\$10	0	0
19	El Pueblo	\$10	\$20	0	0
20	First in Forestry	\$10	\$10	\$10	0
21	Goodness Grows	\$10	\$15	0	0
22	Greyhound Friends of North				
23	Carolina	\$10	\$10	0	0
24	Guilford Battleground Company	\$10	\$10	0	0
25	Harley Owners' Group	\$10	\$10	0	0
26	High School Insignia	\$10	\$15	0	0
27	Historical Attraction	\$10	\$20	0	0
28	Home Care and Hospice	\$10	\$20	0	0
29	HOMES4NC	\$10	\$20	0	0
30	Hospice Care	\$10	\$20	0	0
31	In God We Trust	\$10	\$20	0	0
32	In-State Collegiate Insignia	\$10	\$15	0	0
33	Juvenile Diabetes Research				
34	Foundation	\$10	\$10	0	0
35	Kids First	\$10	\$15	0	0
36	Leukemia & Lymphoma Society	\$10	\$5	0	0
37	Litter Prevention	\$10	\$10	0	0
38	Lung Cancer Research	\$10	\$5	0	0
39	Maggie Valley Trout Festival	\$10	\$20	0	0
40	March of Dimes	\$10	\$10	0	0
41	National Kidney Foundation	\$10	\$20	0	0
42	National Multiple Sclerosis				
43	Society	\$10	\$15	0	0
44	National Wild Turkey Federation	\$10	\$15	0	0

1	NC Agribusiness	\$10	\$15	0	0
2	NC Children's Promise	\$10	\$15	0	0
3	NC Coastal Federation	\$10	\$20	0	0
4	NC 4-H Development Fund	\$10	\$20	0	0
5	NC Tennis Foundation	\$10	\$10	0	0
6	NC Trout Unlimited	\$10	\$10	0	0
7	North Carolina Libraries	\$10	\$20	0	0
8	NC Wildlife Habitat Foundation	\$10	\$10	0	0
9	Nurses	\$10	\$15	0	0
10	Olympic Games	\$10	\$15	0	0
11	Omega Psi Phi Fraternity	\$10	\$10	0	0
12	Out-of-state Collegiate Insignia	\$10	0	\$15	0
13	<u>Pamlico-Tar River Foundation</u>	<u>\$10</u>	<u>\$20</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
14	Personalized	\$10	0	\$15	\$5
15	Prince Hall Mason	\$10	\$10	0	0
16	Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation	\$10	\$15	0	0
17	Save the Sea Turtles	\$10	\$10	0	0
18	Scenic Rivers	\$10	\$10	0	0
19	School Technology	\$10	\$10	0	0
20	SCUBA	\$10	\$10	0	0
21	Shag Dancing	\$10	\$5	0	0
22	Share the Road	\$10	\$20	0	0
23	Soil and Water Conservation	\$10	\$10	0	0
24	Special Forces Association	\$10	\$10	0	0
25	Special Olympics	\$10	\$15	0	0
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30	Surveyor Plate	\$10	\$15	0	0
31	The V Foundation for Cancer				
32	Research	\$10	\$15	0	0
33	University Health Systems of				
34	Eastern Carolina	\$10	\$15	0	0
35	US Equine Rescue League	\$10	\$10	0	0
36	Wildlife Resources	\$10	\$10	0	0
37	Zeta Phi Beta Sorority	\$10	\$10	0	0
38	All other Special Plates	\$10	0	0	0."

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

39           "(b73) Pamlico-Tar River Foundation. – The Division must receive 300 or more  
40 applications for the Pamlico-Tar River Foundation plate before the plate may be  
41 developed. The Division shall transfer quarterly the money in the Collegiate and  
42 Cultural Attraction Plate Account derived from the sale of Pamlico-Tar River  
43 Foundation plates to the Pamlico-Tar River Foundation, Inc., to provide funding for the  
44 Foundation plates to the Pamlico-Tar River Foundation, Inc., to provide funding for the

1 cleanup, preservation, and oversight of the Pamlico and Tar rivers, their watersheds and  
2 basins."

3           **SECTION 5.** This act becomes effective July 1, 2008.