



On November 26, 2019, South Dakota launched the Fallen Heroes Bridge Dedication Program. The program dedicates state bridges to South Dakota heroes who died while in active service, were a prisoner of war or were missing in action.

The Big Sioux River Bridge on SD HWY 34 is dedicated to U.S. Army Private Frederic Schroeder.

Schroeder, whose home of entry was Egan, enlisted in the U.S. Army and began his World War I tour of duty in 1918. Schroeder was killed in action September 30, 1918, while serving with B-Company 361st Infantry Regiment 91st Division.

