THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL No. 1547 Session of 2019

INTRODUCED BY PYLE, OBERLANDER, BROOKS, BURNS, CALTAGIRONE, COX, DiGIROLAMO, DUNBAR, GROVE, KAIL, M. K. KELLER, KINSEY, KORTZ, LONGIETTI, MARSHALL, PETRARCA, SONNEY, STRUZZI AND WILLIAMS, JUNE 3, 2019

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, JUNE 3, 2019

AN ACT

1 2 3	Designating the highway interchange of U.S. Route 422 with Pennsylvania Route 66, Manor Township, Armstrong County, as the Senator Donald C. White Interchange.
4	The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
5	hereby enacts as follows:
6	Section 1. Senator Donald C. White Interchange.
7	(a) FindingsThe General Assembly finds and declares as
8	follows:
9	(1) Senator Donald C. White dedicated 18 years to
10	serving his community and this Commonwealth in the Senate.
11	(2) Senator White, born August 5, 1950, is a former
12	Republican member of the Senate representing the 41st
13	District, which includes Indiana County, Armstrong County and
14	parts of Butler County and Westmoreland County.
15	(3) In 2000, Senator White, an independent insurance
16	broker with more than 20 years of experience in the industry,
17	won the election for the 41st District Senate seat.

(4) Senator White went on to win four subsequent
 reelections before retiring from the Senate in February 2019.

3 (5) During his tenure, Senator White served for 12 years 4 as the chairman of the Senate Banking and Insurance Committee 5 and was respected by both sides of the aisle for his 6 expertise in those subjects.

7 (6) Senator White also served as vice chairman of the
8 Senate Transportation Committee and as a member of the
9 Community, Economic and Recreational Development Committee,
10 Environmental Resources and Energy Committee, Veterans
11 Affairs and Emergency Preparedness Committee and Labor and
12 Industry Committee.

13 (7) Among his many accomplishments, Senator White was 14 the prime sponsor of a law that revamped Pennsylvania's 15 insurance insolvency laws and minimized increases in workers' 16 compensation premium costs.

17 (8) Senator White is also a member of the PENNVEST Board
18 of Directors, the independent authority that serves the
19 communities and citizens of Pennsylvania by funding sewer,
20 storm water and drinking water projects, and served in the
21 United States Army 1972 to 1975.

(9) Senator White's leadership and efforts on behalf of his constituents and all Pennsylvanians deserve to be commended.

(b) Designation.--The highway interchange of U.S. Route 422
with Pennsylvania Route 66, Manor Township, Armstrong County, is
designated the Senator Donald C. White Interchange.

(c) Signs.--The Department of Transportation shall erect and
 maintain appropriate signs displaying the name of the bridge to
 traffic in both directions on the bridge.

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- 1 Section 2. Effective date.
- 2 This act shall take effect in 60 days.