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Senate of Pennsylvania

January 5, 2011

MEMORANDUM

TO: All Senators

FROM:  Senator Lisa Baker

SUBJECT: Co-Sponsorship Memo - Brigadier General Richard J. Tallman Bridge in Wayne County

Please join me in co-sponsoring legislation designating the new bridge on S.R. 0006 crossing the Lackawaxen River in Honesdale, Wayne County as the "Brigadier General Richard J. Tallman Memorial Bridge."

BG Tallman was born in 1925 in Honesdale. He first served in World War II and received a battlefield commission following the Battle of the Bulge. He subsequently graduated from West Point Military Academy Class of 1949 and later served in both the Korean and Vietnam conflicts. On July 9, 1972, BG Tallman was killed in action on his fourth tour in Vietnam during the Battle of An Loc. He was the last general killed in Vietnam. The family of BG Tallman has continued his military legacy by having two of his children and five grandchildren graduate from West Point, along with six other grandchildren in military service.

If you wish to co-sponsor this proposal, please contact Liz Clancy at [LClancy@pasen.gov](mailto:LClancy@pasen.gov) or by phone at 787-7428.

Thank you.

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