

**NATHAN BURNFIELD MEMORIAL INTERCHANGE AND VETERANS MEMORIAL GAY STREET  
BRIDGE - DESIGNATIONS**

**Act of Jul. 9, 2010, P.L. 379, No. 52**

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AN ACT

Designating the interchange at Exit 32-B of Interstate 70 in Washington County as the Nathan Burnfield Memorial Interchange; and designating the Gay Street Bridge on State Route 113, which crosses French Creek in the Borough of Phoenixville, Chester County, as the Veterans Memorial Gay Street Bridge.

The General Assembly finds and declares as follows:

(1) Attaining the rank of first lieutenant with the Canton Volunteer Fire Department in Washington County, Nathan Burnfield committed himself to public service within the community as a firefighter for six years.

(2) Nathan Burnfield continued his public service as a police officer for South Strabane Township, Washington County, where he served as the CPR instructor and the arson investigator for the department for five years, in addition to his duties as a firefighter.

(3) On November 4, 2008, Officer Burnfield was off duty and traveling with two other officers returning from three days of police training at the California University of Pennsylvania when they stopped to remove a truck wheel and tire that were blocking lanes on Interstate 70, near the Bentleyville exit.

(4) As Officer Burnfield cleared the wheel and tire from the roadway, he was struck by a dump truck that could not stop in time and he subsequently died at 27 years of age.

(5) Nathan Burnfield will be remembered for his devotion to duty and his remarkable dedication to the citizens of South Strabane Township and Canton Township.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Section 1. Nathan Burnfield Memorial Interchange at Exit 32-B (Bentleyville) of Interstate 70 in Washington County.

(a) Designation.--Exit 32-B (Bentleyville) of Interstate 70 in Washington County, in both directions, is hereby designated as the Nathan Burnfield Memorial Interchange.

(b) Signs.--The Department of Transportation shall, in appropriate locations, erect and maintain signs displaying the name designated under subsection (a).

Section 2. Veterans Memorial Gay Street Bridge.

(a) Designation.--The Gay Street Bridge which crosses French Creek on State Route 113 in Phoenixville Borough, Chester County, is hereby designated as the Veterans Memorial Gay Street Bridge.

(b) Signs.--The Department of Transportation shall erect and

maintain appropriate signs to indicate the designation under subsection (a) in both directions.

Section 3. Effective date.

This act shall take effect in 60 days.