

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 293 Session of 2013

INTRODUCED BY CAUSER, BAKER, MILLARD, MAJOR, TALLMAN, AUMENT, LONGIETTI, HEFFLEY, SONNEY, KORTZ, COHEN, D. COSTA, BENNINGHOFF, FABRIZIO, CONKLIN, HENNESSEY, KNOWLES, BROOKS, SAYLOR, HAHN, HALUSKA, STEVENSON, MURT, O'NEILL, C. HARRIS, GROVE, M. K. KELLER, PICKETT, PETRI, PEIFER, ROCK, MARSICO, EVERETT, FLECK, HESS, DENLINGER, MATZIE, HARHART, MOUL, MILLER, GOODMAN, GILLEN, FARRY, GABLER AND DAY, JANUARY 23, 2013

AS AMENDED ON SECOND CONSIDERATION, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, MARCH 21, 2013

AN ACT

1 Designating a bridge on that portion of S.R. 49 over the
2 Cowanesque Creek, Harrison Valley, Potter County, as the
3 Specialist Kenneth Wayne Lampman, Sr., Memorial Bridge;
4 designating a bridge on that portion of S.R. 44 in
5 Shinglehouse, Potter County, over the Oswayo Creek as the
6 Specialist Gerald Duane Stonemetz Memorial Bridge; and
7 designating a bridge on that portion of Mill Street in
8 Galeton, Potter County, over the Pine Creek as the Private
9 First Class Clark Robert Douglas Memorial Bridge.

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

12 Section 1. Specialist Kenneth Wayne Lampman, Sr., Memorial
13 Bridge.

14 (a) Findings.--

15 (1) Specialist 4C Kenneth Wayne Lampman, Sr., a resident
16 of Harrison Valley, attended Northern Potter High School and
17 served in the United States Army as an aircraft maintenance
18 mechanic with the 1st Cavalry Division in Vietnam.

1 (2) While bravely serving his country, Specialist 4C
2 Lampman was killed on March 5, 1967, when his helicopter
3 crashed in Vietnam.

4 (b) Designation.--The bridge located on S.R. 49 at segment
5 460 offset ~~1188~~ 1088 in Harrison Valley, Potter County, over the <--
6 Cowanesque Creek is hereby designated the Specialist Kenneth
7 Wayne Lampman, Sr., Memorial Bridge.

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

11 Section 2. Specialist Gerald Duane Stonemetz Memorial Bridge.

12 (a) Findings.--

13 (1) United States Army Specialist 4 Gerald Duane
14 Stonemetz of Shinglehouse was killed on January 8, 1969,
15 while serving his country in Vietnam.

16 (2) Specialist 4 Stonemetz was awarded the Army
17 Commendation Medal, the National Defense Medal, Vietnam
18 Service Medal, Vietnam Campaign Ribbon and Marksman Badge
19 with rifle bar.

20 (b) Designation.--The bridge located on S.R. 44 segment 1090
21 OFFSET 0093 in Shinglehouse Borough, Potter County, over the <--
22 Oswayo Creek is hereby designated the Specialist Gerald Duane
23 Stonemetz Memorial Bridge.

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

27 Section 3. Private First Class Clark Robert Douglas Memorial
28 Bridge.

29 (a) Findings.--

30 (1) Private First Class Clark Robert Douglas graduated

1 from Galeton High School and attended Williamsport School of
2 Commerce prior to joining the United States Army.

3 (2) Private First Class Douglas, a medic attached to the
4 1st Air Cavalry Division Charlie Company, was killed while
5 administering aid to a wounded soldier on November 11, 1969,
6 at Firebase LZ Jeri in Phouc Long Province, Vietnam.

7 (3) Private First Class Douglas was awarded medals for
8 bravery and heroism for his rendering aid to wounded soldiers
9 in the midst of enemy fire. Although thrown to the ground by
10 a burst of impacting mortar round, he persistently crawled in
11 to the fusillade to assist his fellow soldiers when he was
12 mortally struck by another round of fire.

13 (b) Designation.--The bridge located on S.R. 1022 segment 20
14 OFFSET 0000 Mill Street in Galeton Borough, Potter County, over <--
15 the Pine Creek is hereby designated the Private First Class
16 Clark Robert Douglas Memorial Bridge.

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

20 Section 4. Effective date.

21 This act shall take effect in 60 days.