

## THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

# HOUSE BILL

## No. 1921 Session of 2013

INTRODUCED BY BURNS, METZGAR, BROOKS, SONNEY, CALTAGIRONE,  
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MILLARD, GOODMAN, D. COSTA, COHEN, SABATINA, FRANKEL, WATSON,  
GROVE, GRELL, FARINA, DEASY AND GILLEN, DECEMBER 16, 2013

AS AMENDED ON SECOND CONSIDERATION, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
FEBRUARY 4, 2014

## AN ACT

1 Designating a bridge on that portion of 17th Street over State  
2 Route 56 in Windber Borough, Somerset County, as the Trooper  
3 Joseph Sepp Memorial Bridge.

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

6 Section 1. Trooper Joseph Sepp Memorial Bridge.

7 (a) Findings.--

8 (1) State Trooper Joseph Sepp, of the Pennsylvania State  
9 Police, died on November 10, 2002, in the line of duty.

10 (2) Trooper Sepp ~~began his service to~~ ENLISTED WITH the <--  
11 Pennsylvania State Police on February 24, 1992, ~~following his~~ <--  
12 ~~graduation~~. HE LATER GRADUATED from the Pennsylvania State <--  
13 Police Academy on July 16, 1992.

14 (3) Over 1,200 law enforcement officers were in  
15 attendance at St. Anthony of Padua Roman Catholic Church in

1 Windber, Pennsylvania, on November 14, 2002, to honor Trooper  
2 Sepp. Governor Mark Schweiker noted, "Trooper Sepp did not  
3 swerve from the path of duty, and for that every  
4 Pennsylvanian is in his debt."

5 (4) Trooper Sepp served his Commonwealth and community  
6 with courage and distinction.

7 (b) Designation.--The bridge located on 17th Street over  
8 State Route 56 in Windber Borough, Somerset County, is hereby  
9 designated the Trooper Joseph Sepp Memorial Bridge.

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

13 Section 2. Effective date.

14 This act shall take effect ~~immediately~~ IN 60 DAYS.

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