

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 1672 Session of
2017

INTRODUCED BY BURNS, HENNESSEY, DUSH, SONNEY, CALTAGIRONE,
MCGINNIS, DONATUCCI, RAPP, FREEMAN, KINSEY, SAINATO, ENGLISH,
W. KELLER, HAHN, WARD, NEILSON, D. COSTA, LONGIETTI, ROTHMAN,
RYAN, EVERETT, O'NEILL, MILLARD, SANKEY, MURT, MARSICO,
BIZZARRO, GILLEN, READSHAW, SCHWEYER AND WATSON,
JULY 21, 2017

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, JULY 21, 2017

AN ACT

1 Designating a bridge on that portion of State Route 1002, known
2 as Friend Lea Road over U.S. Route 219, Ebensburg Borough,
3 Cambria County, as the Cyril Thomas Yeckley Memorial Bridge.

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

6 Section 1. Cyril Thomas Yeckley Memorial Bridge.

7 (a) Findings.--The General Assembly finds and declares as
8 follows:

9 (1) Cyril Thomas Yeckley was born on October 20, 1945,
10 in Carrolltown, Cambria County.

11 (2) Cyril Thomas Yeckley was a private first class
12 rifleman in the United States Marine Corps when he began a
13 tour in Vietnam on February 23, 1969.

14 (3) On March 13, 1969, Private First Class Yeckley
15 engaged in hostile action in Quang Nam, South Vietnam.

16 (4) Private First Class Yeckley was killed in action,

1 having died of multiple fragmentation wounds.

2 (5) Private First Class Yeckley was awarded the National
3 Defense Service Medal, Purple Heart, Vietnam Campaign Medal
4 and Vietnam Service Medal.

5 (b) Designation.--The bridge located on State Route 1002,
6 known as Friend Lea Road, over U.S. Route 219 in Ebensburg,
7 Cambria County, is hereby designated the Cyril Thomas Yeckley
8 Memorial Bridge.

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

12 Section 2. Effective date.

13 This act shall take effect in 60 days.