

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No. 1156 Session of 2018

INTRODUCED BY MENSCH, MAY 7, 2018

SENATOR RAFFERTY, TRANSPORTATION, AS AMENDED, MAY 23, 2018

AN ACT

1 Designating a bridge on that portion of Pennsylvania Route 100
2 over the Schuylkill River in Pottstown Borough, Montgomery
3 County, as the Newstell Marable, Sr., Memorial Bridge;
4 DESIGNATING THE BRIDGE ON STOUGHSTOWN ROAD OVER INTERSTATE 81
5 IN CUMBERLAND COUNTY (BRIDGE NUMBER 21-3007-0020-0865) AS THE
6 PRIVATE RAYMOND LAFAYETTE NAUGLE MEMORIAL BRIDGE; DESIGNATING
7 THE BRIDGE ON MAPLE AVENUE OVER THE YELLOW BREECHES CREEK IN
8 WALNUT BOTTOM TOWNSHIP, CUMBERLAND COUNTY (BRIDGE NUMBER 21-
9 3009-0012-0000), AS THE SERGEANT KENNETH LEE "BUCK" DEVOR
10 MEMORIAL BRIDGE; DESIGNATING A BRIDGE ON THAT PORTION OF U.S.
11 ROUTE 219 SOUTH, OVER U.S. ROUTE 22, ALSO KNOWN AS THE
12 ADMIRAL PEARY HIGHWAY, IN CAMBRIA TOWNSHIP, CAMBRIA COUNTY,
13 AS THE PFC NICK KOZOROSKY MEMORIAL BRIDGE; DESIGNATING A
14 PORTION OF PENNSYLVANIA ROUTE 54 IN WEST MAHANoy TOWNSHIP,
15 SCHUYLKILL COUNTY, AS THE FRANCIS V. "ANGIE" MCANDREW
16 MEMORIAL HIGHWAY; AND DESIGNATING A PORTION OF STATE ROUTE
17 2026, IN UPPER MORELAND TOWNSHIP, MONTGOMERY COUNTY, AS THE
18 CORPORAL MICHAEL DENNIS COOKE MEMORIAL HIGHWAY.

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

21 Section 1. Newstell Marable, Sr., Memorial Bridge.

22 (a) Findings.--The General Assembly finds and declares as
23 follows:

24 (1) Newstell Marable, Sr., was a native of Birmingham,
25 Alabama, and a graduate of Alabama A&M University.

26 (2) Mr. Marable served in the United States Army from

1 1953 through 1955.

2 (3) Mr. Marable joined and served the Pottstown NAACP  
3 Branch #2288 from 1960 until his death in 2015.

4 (4) During his 30-year tenure as president of the  
5 Pottstown NAACP Branch #2288, Mr. Marable handled 107  
6 complaints.

7 (5) Mr. Marable was a passionate advocate for equal  
8 opportunity and employment for all races and genders.

9 (6) In 1985, Mr. Marable led the combined efforts of the  
10 NAACP and many churches and organizations to fight for the  
11 rightful employment of two African Americans to the local  
12 fire company.

13 (7) Mr. Marable was a key advocate for equality and was  
14 instrumental in closing the Boyertown School District and  
15 Pottsgrove School District for observance of the Martin  
16 Luther King, Jr., holiday celebrations.

17 (8) Mr. Marable was a proud and longstanding member of  
18 the Bethel A.M.E. Church in Pottstown where he served on  
19 multiple boards and held many positions.

20 (b) Designation.--The bridge on that portion of Pennsylvania  
21 Route 100 over the Schuylkill River in Pottstown Borough,  
22 Montgomery County, is designated as the Newstell Marable, Sr.,  
23 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 2. PRIVATE RAYMOND LAFAYETTE NAUGLE MEMORIAL BRIDGE. <--

28 (A) FINDINGS.--THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FINDS AND DECLARES AS  
29 FOLLOWS:

30 (1) PRIVATE RAYMOND LAFAYETTE NAUGLE, A NATIVE OF

1 CARLISLE, ENLISTED IN THE UNITED STATES ARMY ON JULY 17,  
2 1917.

3 (2) WHILE SERVING WITH G COMPANY, 2ND BATTALION, 112TH  
4 INFANTRY REGIMENT, 28TH INFANTRY DIVISION, PRIVATE NAUGLE WAS  
5 KILLED IN ACTION ON NOVEMBER 8, 1918, IN FRANCE.

6 (B) DESIGNATION.--THE BRIDGE ON STOUGHSTOWN ROAD IN  
7 CUMBERLAND COUNTY OVER INTERSTATE 81 (BRIDGE NUMBER 21-3007-  
8 0020-0865) IS DESIGNATED THE PRIVATE RAYMOND LAFAYETTE NAUGLE  
9 MEMORIAL BRIDGE.

10 (C) SIGNS.--THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION SHALL ERECT AND  
11 MAINTAIN APPROPRIATE SIGNS DISPLAYING THE NAME OF THE BRIDGE TO  
12 TRAFFIC IN BOTH DIRECTIONS ON THE BRIDGE.

13 SECTION 3. SERGEANT KENNETH LEE "BUCK" DEVOR MEMORIAL BRIDGE.

14 (A) FINDINGS.--THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FINDS AND DECLARES AS  
15 FOLLOWS:

16 (1) SERGEANT KENNETH LEE "BUCK" DEVOR, A NATIVE OF  
17 CARLISLE, WAS DRAFTED INTO THE UNITED STATES ARMY ON DECEMBER  
18 2, 1966.

19 (2) WHILE SERVING WITH TROOP C, 3RD SQUADRON, 4TH  
20 CAVALRY REGIMENT, 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION (TROPIC LIGHTNING  
21 DIVISION), DURING THE TET OFFENSIVE, SERGEANT DEVOR WAS  
22 KILLED IN ACTION ON FEBRUARY 10, 1968.

23 (3) SERGEANT DEVOR WAS AWARDED THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL,  
24 THE PURPLE HEART, THE COMBAT INFANTRYMAN'S BADGE AND THE  
25 REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM MILITARY MERIT MEDAL.

26 (B) DESIGNATION.--THE SECTION OF MAPLE AVENUE OVER THE  
27 YELLOW BREECHES CREEK IN WALNUT BOTTOM TOWNSHIP, CUMBERLAND  
28 COUNTY (BRIDGE NUMBER 21-3009-0012-0000), IS DESIGNATED THE  
29 SERGEANT KENNETH LEE "BUCK" DEVOR MEMORIAL BRIDGE.

30 (C) SIGNS.--THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION SHALL ERECT AND

1 MAINTAIN APPROPRIATE SIGNS DISPLAYING THE NAME OF THE BRIDGE TO  
2 TRAFFIC IN BOTH DIRECTIONS ON THE BRIDGE.

3 SECTION 4. PFC NICK KOZOROSKY MEMORIAL BRIDGE.

4 (A) FINDINGS.--THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FINDS AND DECLARES AS  
5 FOLLOWS:

6 (1) PFC NICK KOZOROSKY, A NATIVE OF NANTY GLO BOROUGH,  
7 SERVED HIS COUNTRY IN THE UNITED STATES ARMY, 101ST AIRBORNE  
8 DIVISION, 506TH PARACHUTE INFANTRY REGIMENT DURING WORLD WAR  
9 II.

10 (2) ON MAY 4, 1945, PFC KOZOROSKY WAS KILLED IN ACTION  
11 NEAR BERCHTESGADEN, GERMANY, WHERE NAZI LEADERS WERE PLANNING  
12 A LAST STAND.

13 (3) PFC NICK KOZOROSKY WAS POSTHUMOUSLY AWARDED THE  
14 PURPLE HEART.

15 (B) DESIGNATION.--THE BRIDGE LOCATED ON U.S. ROUTE 219  
16 SOUTH, OVER U.S. ROUTE 22, ALSO KNOWN AS THE ADMIRAL PEARY  
17 HIGHWAY, IN CAMBRIA TOWNSHIP, CAMBRIA COUNTY, IS DESIGNATED AS  
18 THE PFC NICK KOZOROSKY MEMORIAL BRIDGE.

19 (C) SIGNS.--THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION SHALL ERECT AND  
20 MAINTAIN APPROPRIATE SIGNS DISPLAYING THE NAME OF THE BRIDGE TO  
21 TRAFFIC IN BOTH DIRECTIONS ON THE BRIDGE.

22 SECTION 5. FRANCIS V. "ANGIE" MCANDREW MEMORIAL HIGHWAY.

23 (A) FINDINGS.--THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FINDS AND DECLARES AS  
24 FOLLOWS:

25 (1) FRANCIS V. "ANGIE" MCANDREW LIVED A LIFE OF SERVICE  
26 TO THE RESIDENTS OF SCHUYLKILL COUNTY AND TO THE COMMONWEALTH  
27 OF PENNSYLVANIA.

28 (2) BORN DECEMBER 29, 1944, IN SHENANDOAH, HE WAS A 1962  
29 GRADUATE OF THE FORMER J.W. COOPER HIGH SCHOOL, SHENANDOAH,  
30 AND A 1977 GRADUATE OF THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE UNIVERSITY,

1 SCHUYLKILL CAMPUS.

2 (3) HE WAS A DECORATED ARMY VETERAN, HAVING SERVED  
3 DURING THE VIETNAM ERA.

4 (4) AFTER HIS HONORABLE DISCHARGE FROM THE ARMY, HE  
5 GRADUATED FROM THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE POLICE ACADEMY,  
6 HERSHEY, AND BECAME A PENNSYLVANIA STATE TROOPER AND STATE  
7 POLICE INVESTIGATOR.

8 (5) DURING HIS 25-YEAR CAREER WITH THE PENNSYLVANIA  
9 STATE POLICE, HE SERVED IN NUMEROUS ROLES AS A PATROL  
10 OFFICER, A STATEWIDE VICE AND NARCOTICS INVESTIGATOR, A  
11 CORRUPTION PROBE INVESTIGATOR AND A CRIMINAL INVESTIGATOR.

12 (6) HE RECEIVED MANY ACCOLADES AND COMMENDATIONS FOR HIS  
13 WORK AND SKILLS IN HELPING TO SOLVE AND PROSECUTE NUMEROUS  
14 CRIMINAL CASES AND RECEIVED A SPECIAL CITATION IN TRUE  
15 DETECTIVE MAGAZINE.

16 (7) UPON HIS RETIREMENT FROM THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE  
17 POLICE, HE WORKED AS A DETECTIVE FOR THE SCHUYLKILL COUNTY  
18 DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE AND WAS ELECTED SCHUYLKILL COUNTY  
19 SHERIFF IN 1993.

20 (8) HE SERVED AS COUNTY SHERIFF FOR 14 YEARS AND WAS  
21 INSTRUMENTAL IN ESTABLISHING A CENTRAL BOOKING OFFICE TO  
22 QUICKLY AND EFFICIENTLY PROVIDE FINGERPRINTING AND  
23 RECORDKEEPING FOR SUSPECTS.

24 (9) HE ALSO IMPLEMENTED SECURITY AT THE COURTHOUSE,  
25 ESTABLISHED A PRISON INMATE WORK DETAIL AND REVAMPED  
26 PROCEDURES FOR ATTAINING A HUNTING LICENSE IN THE COUNTY.

27 (10) IN 2007, HE WAS ELECTED SCHUYLKILL COUNTY  
28 COMMISSIONER, HELPING THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY TAKE MAJORITY  
29 CONTROL OF THE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS FOR THE FIRST  
30 TIME IN 37 YEARS. HE SERVED AS COMMISSIONER FROM 2008 TO

1 2011.

2 (11) DURING HIS CAREER, HE ALSO SERVED AS A COMMISSIONER  
3 FOR THE PENNSYLVANIA COMMISSION ON CRIME AND DELINQUENCY, A  
4 DELEGATE TO THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE TROOPERS ASSOCIATION, A  
5 BOARD MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE POLICE CAMP CADET  
6 PROGRAM AND SERVED ON NUMEROUS OTHER BOARDS AND ASSOCIATIONS.

7 (12) HE WAS ALSO A MEMBER OF DIVINE MERCY PARISH,  
8 ANTHONY P. DAMATO AMERICAN LEGION POST 792, AMVETS POST 7,  
9 SHENANDOAH EAST END FIELD AND STREAM CLUB, SAINT CLAIR FISH  
10 AND GAME, VETERANS OF THE VIETNAM WAR POST 29, BPOE LODGE  
11 1533, ANCIENT ORDER OF HIBERNIANS IN AMERICA, JOHN F. KENNEDY  
12 DIVISION 1 AND A LIFELONG MEMBER OF THE FORMER WEST END FIRE  
13 COMPANY IN LOST CREEK.

14 (13) HE DIED ON NOVEMBER 27, 2016.

15 (B) DESIGNATION.--THE PORTION OF PENNSYLVANIA ROUTE 54 IN  
16 WEST MAHANOHY TOWNSHIP, SCHUYLKILL COUNTY, IS DESIGNATED AS THE  
17 FRANCIS V. "ANGIE" MCANDREW MEMORIAL HIGHWAY.

18 (C) SIGNS.--THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION SHALL ERECT AND  
19 MAINTAIN APPROPRIATE SIGNS DISPLAYING THE NAME OF THE HIGHWAY TO  
20 TRAFFIC IN BOTH DIRECTIONS ON THE HIGHWAY.  
21 SECTION 6. CORPORAL MICHAEL DENNIS COOKE MEMORIAL HIGHWAY.

22 (A) FINDINGS.--

23 (1) CORPORAL MICHAEL DENNIS COOKE WAS BORN AND RAISED IN  
24 UPPER MORELAND TOWNSHIP, MONTGOMERY COUNTY.

25 (2) CORPORAL COOKE ENLISTED IN THE UNITED STATES MARINE  
26 CORPS IN 1987 AND SERVED IN 3RD PLATOON, C COMPANY, 2ND  
27 RECONNAISSANCE BATTALION, SECOND MARINE DIVISION.

28 (3) CORPORAL COOKE DIED OF MASSIVE TRAUMA AFTER AN  
29 ACCIDENTAL GRENADE EXPLOSION ON FEBRUARY 22, 1991, AFTER  
30 COMPLETING A HEROIC OPERATION AGAINST THE ENEMY SERVING AS

1 TEAM SCOUT AND PHOTOGRAPHER DURING OPERATION DESERT STORM. HE  
2 WAS POSTHUMOUSLY AWARDED THE BRONZE STAR.

3 (B) DESIGNATION.--THE SECTION OF STATE ROUTE 2026 IN UPPER  
4 MORELAND TOWNSHIP, MONTGOMERY COUNTY, FROM PENNSYLVANIA ROUTE  
5 611 TO PENNSYLVANIA ROUTE 63 IS DESIGNATED THE CORPORAL MICHAEL  
6 DENNIS COOKE MEMORIAL HIGHWAY.

7 (C) SIGNS.--THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION SHALL ERECT AND  
8 MAINTAIN APPROPRIATE SIGNS DISPLAYING THE NAME OF THE HIGHWAY TO  
9 TRAFFIC IN BOTH DIRECTIONS ON THE HIGHWAY.

10 Section 2 7. Effective date.

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11 This act shall take effect in 60 days.