
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 1954 Session of
2020

INTRODUCED BY GABLER, BARRAR, BERNSTINE, BURNS, CAUSER, COX,
DEASY, DONATUCCI, GREINER, HENNESSEY, HICKERNELL, HILL-EVANS,
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NEILSON, OWLETT, PICKETT, READSHAW, ROTHMAN, RYAN, SAINATO,
SCHMITT, SONNEY, STAATS, STRUZZI, YOUNGBLOOD AND CONKLIN,
MARCH 4, 2020

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, MARCH 4, 2020

AN ACT

1 Designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 15552, on that
2 portion of U.S. Route 219 over Elk Creek, Ridgway Borough,
3 Elk County, as the Elk County Vietnam Veterans Memorial
4 Bridge.

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

7 Section 1. Elk County Vietnam Veterans Memorial Bridge.

8 (a) Designation.--The bridge located on U.S. Route 219 over
9 the Elk Creek, Ridgway Borough, Elk County, is designated as the
10 Elk County Vietnam Veterans Memorial Bridge in recognition of
11 the men and women who bravely served in the Vietnam Conflict and
12 the following individuals who sacrificed their lives for their
13 country:

- 14 (1) Jerome Edward Bowers, Jr., United States Army.
15 (2) Larry Wayne Gardner, United States Marine Corps.
16 (3) Michael Gigliotti, United States Army.
17 (4) John Paul Paropacic, United States Marine Corps.

- 1 (5) Jerome Robert Sain, United States Army.
- 2 (6) John Ellsworth Showers, Jr., United States Army.
- 3 (7) Robert Glenn Willow, United States Marine Corps.
- 4 (8) Paul Eugene Yonkie, United States Air Force.

5 (b) Signs.--The Department of Transportation shall erect and
6 maintain appropriate signs displaying the name of the bridge to
7 traffic in both directions on the bridge.

8 Section 2. Effective date.

9 This act shall take effect in 60 days.