

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 2247 Session of 2020

INTRODUCED BY CAUSER, BERNSTINE, BURGOS, BURNS, COX, DONATUCCI, GROVE, HENNESSEY, HICKERNELL, HILL-EVANS, JAMES, KIM, KINSEY, KORTZ, LONGIETTI, MILLARD, MOUL, MURT, PASHINSKI, PICKETT, PYLE, RYAN, SCHMITT, SONNEY, STAATS, OWLETT, DEASY, RAPP, GREINER, NEILSON, CONKLIN, STRUZZI AND SAINATO, JANUARY 30, 2020

AS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, AS AMENDED, JUNE 10, 2020

AN ACT

1 Designating a bridge ~~on that portion of~~, IDENTIFIED AS BRIDGE <--
2 KEY 25488, CARRYING State Route 1011 over the Mix Creek,
3 Eldred Township, McKean County, as the Sgt. Neil K. Dorrion
4 Memorial Bridge.

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

7 Section 1. Sgt. Neil K. Dorrion Memorial Bridge.

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

10 (1) Sgt. Neil K. Dorrion gave his life in service to his
11 country during the Korean War.

12 (2) Sgt. Dorrion attended Eldred Township School, served
13 with the United States Army in World War II and reenlisted in
14 April 1949.

15 (3) Sgt. Dorrion served as a medic with the Medical
16 Company, 5th Regimental Combat Team, 24th Infantry Division,

1 United States Army.

2 (4) On November 4, 1950, Sgt. Dorrion was killed in
3 action at Kunu-ri, North Korea, while tending to his wounded
4 comrades.

5 (5) Sgt. Dorrion was awarded the Silver Star, Purple
6 Heart, Bronze Star with 'V' for Valor, Good Conduct Badge,
7 Combat Medical Badge, Korean Service Medal, United Nations
8 Service Medal, National Defense Service Medal, Korean
9 Presidential Unit Citation, Republic of Korea War Service
10 Medal, Pacific Theater Ribbon with Star and the World War II
11 Victory Medal.

12 (b) Designation.--The bridge ~~located on~~, IDENTIFIED AS <--
13 BRIDGE KEY 25488, CARRYING State Route 1011 over the Mix Creek,
14 Eldred Township, McKean County, is designated the Sgt. Neil K.
15 Dorrion Memorial Bridge.

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

19 Section 2. Effective date.

20 This act shall take effect in 60 days.