
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 2256 Session of
2020

INTRODUCED BY O'MARA, SCHMITT, HILL-EVANS, KINSEY, MURT,
LONGIETTI, RYAN, ZABEL, HENNESSEY, PASHINSKI, DONATUCCI,
MALAGARI, COX, GREINER, WILLIAMS, SONNEY, BURNS, KIM, VITALI,
KORTZ, SAINATO, YOUNGBLOOD, READSHAW, MILLARD, FREEMAN,
STAATS, KRUEGER, KIRKLAND, DELLOSO, NEILSON, CONKLIN AND
QUINN, JANUARY 30, 2020

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, JANUARY 30, 2020

AN ACT

1 Designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 15279, on that
2 portion of State Route 2025, also known as Morton Avenue,
3 over Stony Creek in Morton Borough, Delaware County, as the
4 Captain Michael Malinowski, Sr., Memorial Bridge.

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

7 Section 1. Captain Michael Malinowski, Sr., Memorial Bridge.

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

10 (1) Captain Michael Malinowski, Sr., first served as a
11 volunteer firefighter from 1996 to 2015 for the Gloucester
12 City Fire Department, Pine Grove Station (52) and (54), in
13 Gloucester City, New Jersey, where he earned the rank of
14 Captain.

15 (2) In 2019, Mr. Malinowski became Captain of the
16 Morton-Rutledge Fire Company in Morton and Rutledge Boroughs,
17 Delaware County, where he served as a volunteer firefighter

1 and member of the Board of Directors.

2 (3) Captain Malinowski also participated in department
3 training and fundraising while helping to repair the crew
4 room and the firefighter memorial located at the Morton-
5 Rutledge Fire Company.

6 (4) On December 2, 2019, Captain Michael Malinowski,
7 Sr., reported feeling ill after responding to a call about
8 downed trees and wires in Nether Providence Township,
9 Delaware County.

10 (5) On December 3, 2019, Captain Michael Malinowski,
11 Sr., passed away at the age of 40.

12 (b) Designation.--The bridge, identified as Bridge Key
13 15279, located on that portion of State Route 2025, also known
14 as Morton Avenue, over Stony Creek in Morton Borough, Delaware
15 County, is designated as the Captain Michael Malinowski, Sr.,
16 Memorial Bridge.

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

20 Section 2. Effective date.

21 This act shall take effect in 60 days.