



January 21, 2025

**HOUSE CONCURRENT
RESOLUTION No. 9**

DIGEST OF RESOLUTION

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION urging the Indiana Department of Transportation to rename the bridge on State Road 67 over the Salamonie River in Jay County the "Lance Corporal Andrew Whitacre Memorial Bridge".

Prescott, Lehman, Haggard

January 13, 2025, read first time and referred to Committee on Roads and Transportation.
January 21, 2025, reported — Do Pass.

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5 *Whereas, Lance Corporal Andrew Whitacre bravely served*
6 *his country in Iraq and Afghanistan, ultimately giving his life*
7 *during combat operations in Afghanistan on June 19th, 2008;*

8 *Whereas, He was a dedicated Marine, serving with the 2nd*
9 *battalion, 7th Marines, 1st Marine Division, I Marine*
10 *Expeditionary Force;*

11 *Whereas, He embodied the United States Marine Corps*
12 *values of honor, courage, and commitment while supporting*
13 *Operation Enduring Freedom and training the Afghan national*
14 *police; and*

15 *Whereas, Lance Corporal Andrew Whitacre's exceptional*
16 *service, reflected in his six awards and commendations,*
17 *highlights his vital role and the profound impact of his sacrifice*
18 *to the Marine Corps and his country: Therefore,*

19 *Be it resolved by the House of Representatives*
20 *of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana,*
21 *the Senate concurring:*

22 SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly urges the
23 Indiana Department of Transportation to rename the bridge on
24 State Road 67 over the Salamonie River in Jay County the
25 "Lance Corporal Andrew Whitacre Memorial Bridge".



1 SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of
2 Representatives shall transmit copies of this resolution to the
3 Commissioner of the Indiana Department of Transportation.



COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Roads and Transportation, to which was referred House Concurrent Resolution 9, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said resolution do pass.

(Reference is to HC 9 as printed January 13, 2025.)

PRESSEL

Committee Vote: Yeas 9, Nays 0

