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A BILL

To amend sections 102.01, 167.02, 167.04, 167.07, 1
715.014, 940.07, and 2744.07 and to enact 2
sections 3901.82, 5534.403, 5534.811, and 3
5534.911 of the Revised Code to modify the law 4
concerning regional councils of governments to 5
clarify that a municipal corporation eligible to 6
designate a tourism development district may 7
designate more than one district, to specify 8
that the American Law Institute's approved 9
"Restatement of the Law, Liability Insurance" 10
does not constitute the public policy of Ohio, 11
to designate a portion of U.S. Route 33 in Meigs 12
County as the "Steve Story Memorial Highway," to 13
designate a portion of Interstate Route 270 in 14
Franklin County as the "Officers Anthony Morelli 15
and Eric Joering Memorial Highway," and to 16
designate the portion of U.S. Route 24 in Henry 17
County as the "Henry County Veterans Highway." 18

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1. That sections 102.01, 167.02, 167.04, 167.07, 19
715.014, 940.07, and 2744.07 be amended and sections 3901.82, 20
5534.403, 5534.811, and 5534.911 of the Revised Code be enacted 21
to read as follows: 22

Sec. 102.01. As used in this chapter: 23

(A) "Compensation" means money, thing of value, or 24
financial benefit. "Compensation" does not include reimbursement 25
for actual and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of 26
official duties. 27

(B) "Public official or employee" means any person who is 28
elected or appointed to an office or is an employee of any 29
public agency. "Public official or employee" does not include a 30
person elected or appointed to the office of precinct, ward, or 31
district committee member under section 3517.03 of the Revised 32
Code, any presidential elector, or any delegate to a national 33
convention. "Public official or employee" does not include a 34
person who is a teacher, instructor, professor, or other kind of 35
educator whose position does not involve the performance of, or 36
authority to perform, administrative or supervisory functions. 37

(C) (1) "Public agency" means the general assembly, all 38
courts, any department, division, institution, board, 39
commission, authority, bureau or other instrumentality of the 40
state, a county, city, village, or township, the five state 41
retirement systems, or any other governmental entity. ~~"Public-~~ 42

(2) Notwithstanding any contrary provision of division (C) 43
(3)(a) of this section, "public agency" includes a regional 44
council of governments established under Chapter 167. of the 45
Revised Code. 46

(3) "Public agency" does not include a-either of the 47

<u>following:</u>	48
<u>(a)</u> A department, division, institution, board,	49
commission, authority, or other instrumentality of the state or	50
a county, municipal corporation, township, or other governmental	51
entity that functions exclusively for cultural, educational,	52
historical, humanitarian, advisory, or research purposes; that	53
does not expend more than ten thousand dollars per calendar	54
year, excluding salaries and wages of employees; and whose	55
members are uncompensated. "Public agency" does not include the	56
<u>i</u>	57
<u>(b)</u> The nonprofit corporation formed under section 187.01	58
of the Revised Code.	59
(D) "Immediate family" means a spouse residing in the	60
person's household and any dependent child.	61
(E) "Income" includes gross income as defined and used in	62
the "Internal Revenue Code of 1986," 100 Stat. 2085, 26 U.S.C.	63
1, as amended, interest and dividends on obligations or	64
securities of any state or of any political subdivision or	65
authority of any state or political subdivision, and interest or	66
dividends on obligations of any authority, commission, or	67
instrumentality of the United States.	68
(F) Except as otherwise provided in division (A) of	69
section 102.08 of the Revised Code, "appropriate ethics	70
commission" means:	71
(1) For matters relating to members of the general	72
assembly, employees of the general assembly, employees of the	73
legislative service commission, and candidates for the office of	74
member of the general assembly, the joint legislative ethics	75
committee;	76

(2) For matters relating to judicial officers and	77
employees, and candidates for judicial office, the board of	78
commissioners on grievances and discipline of the supreme court;	79
(3) For matters relating to all other persons, the Ohio	80
ethics commission.	81
(G) "Anything of value" has the same meaning as provided	82
in section 1.03 of the Revised Code and includes, but is not	83
limited to, a contribution as defined in section 3517.01 of the	84
Revised Code.	85
(H) "Honorarium" means any payment made in consideration	86
for any speech given, article published, or attendance at any	87
public or private conference, convention, meeting, social event,	88
meal, or similar gathering. "Honorarium" does not include	89
ceremonial gifts or awards that have insignificant monetary	90
value; unsolicited gifts of nominal value or trivial items of	91
informational value; or earned income from any person, other	92
than a legislative agent, for personal services that are	93
customarily provided in connection with the practice of a bona	94
fide business, if that business initially began before the	95
public official or employee conducting that business was elected	96
or appointed to the public official's or employee's office or	97
position of employment.	98
(I) "Employer" means any person who, directly or	99
indirectly, engages an executive agency lobbyist or legislative	100
agent.	101
(J) "Executive agency decision," "executive agency	102
lobbyist," and "executive agency lobbying activity" have the	103
same meanings as in section 121.60 of the Revised Code.	104
(K) "Legislation," "legislative agent," "financial	105

transaction," and "actively advocate" have the same meanings as 106
in section 101.70 of the Revised Code. 107

(L) "Expenditure" has the same meaning as in section 108
101.70 of the Revised Code when used in relation to activities 109
of a legislative agent, and the same meaning as in section 110
121.60 of the Revised Code when used in relation to activities 111
of an executive agency lobbyist. 112

Sec. 167.02. (A) Membership in the regional council shall 113
be the counties, municipal corporations, townships, special 114
districts, school districts, and other political subdivisions 115
entering into the agreement establishing the council or admitted 116
to membership subsequently pursuant to the agreement 117
establishing the council or the bylaws of the council. 118
Representation on the council may be in the manner as provided 119
in the agreement establishing the council. 120

(B) If the agreement establishing the council does not set 121
forth the manner for determining representation on the council 122
such representation shall consist of one representative from 123
each county, municipal corporation, township, special district, 124
school district, or other political subdivision entering into 125
the agreement, or subsequently admitted to membership in the 126
council. The representative from each member county, municipal 127
corporation, township, special district, school district, or 128
other political subdivision shall be elected chief executive 129
thereof, or, if such county, municipal corporation, township, 130
special district, school district, or other political 131
subdivision does not have an elected chief executive, a member 132
of its governing body chosen by such body to be its 133
representative. 134

(C) Records containing the names of the political 135

subdivisions that are members of a regional council of 136
governments or the names of the representatives from those 137
political subdivisions who serve on the council are public 138
records within the meaning of section 149.43 of the Revised 139
Code, and those names are not considered to be trade secrets 140
under section 1333.61 of the Revised Code. 141

(D) The director of development services shall assist the 142
council in securing the cooperation of all appropriate agencies 143
of the state or of the United States to aid in promoting the 144
orderly growth and development of the area, solving the problems 145
of local government, and discharging the responsibilities and 146
duties of local government in the most efficient possible 147
manner. 148

~~(D)~~ (E) Any county, municipal corporation, township, 149
special district, school district, or other political 150
subdivision which has become a member of the council may 151
withdraw by formal action of its governing board and upon sixty 152
days notice to council after such action, or in the manner 153
provided in the agreement establishing the council, provided no 154
such procedure relative to withdrawals in the agreement 155
establishing the council shall require the political subdivision 156
desiring to withdraw to retain its membership in the council for 157
a period in excess of two years. 158

Sec. 167.04. (A) The regional council of governments shall 159
adopt by-laws, by a majority vote of its members, designating 160
the officers of the council and the method of their selection, 161
creating a governing board that may act for the council as 162
provided in the by-laws, and providing for the conduct of its 163
business. 164

(B) The by-laws of the regional council of governments 165

shall provide for the appointment of a fiscal officer, who may 166
hold any other office or employment with the council, and who 167
shall receive, deposit, invest, and disburse the funds of the 168
council in the manner authorized by the by-laws or action by the 169
council. 170

(C) The by-laws of a regional council of governments the 171
members of which include, under sections 167.01 and 167.02 of 172
the Revised Code, at least eight counties may include a 173
provision authorizing member attendance and voting at council 174
meetings either in person or by proxy. 175

(D) ~~(1) Within ten business days after forming a regional~~ 176
~~council of governments, the~~ The officers of the council shall 177
notify the auditor of state of the regional council's formation, 178
provide a copy of the council's by-laws, and ~~shall~~ provide on a 179
form prescribed by the auditor of state ~~the~~ any other 180
information regarding the regional council that the auditor of 181
state considers necessary. 182

~~(2) As used in this division, "business day" means a day~~ 183
~~of the week, excluding Saturday, Sunday, or a legal holiday as~~ 184
~~defined in section 1.14 of the Revised Code.~~ 185

The council shall take no official action, other than 186
formation, before notifying the auditor of state of its 187
formation in accordance with this section. Any official action 188
the council takes before making that notification, including 189
entering into any contract, is void. 190

Sec. 167.07. Membership ~~(A) (1) Except as otherwise~~ 191
provided in division (A) (2) of this section, membership on the a 192
regional council of governments and holding an office of the 193
council does not constitute the holding of a public office or 194

employment within the meaning of any section of the Revised	195
Code. Membership	196
<u>(2) A regional council of governments is considered a</u>	197
<u>public agency for purposes of Chapter 102. and is considered a</u>	198
<u>political subdivision for purposes of Chapter 2921. of the</u>	199
<u>Revised Code.</u>	200
<u>(B) Membership</u> on the council and holding an office of the	201
council shall not constitute an interest, either direct or	202
indirect, in a contract or expenditure of money by any municipal	203
corporation, township, special district, school district,	204
county, or other political subdivision <u>other than the council</u>	205
<u>itself.</u> No	206
<u>(C) No</u> member or officer of the council shall be	207
disqualified from holding any public office or employment, nor	208
shall such member or officer forfeit any such office or	209
employment, by reason of his position <u>serving</u> as an officer or	210
member of the council, notwithstanding any law to the contrary.	211
Sec. 715.014. (A) As used in this section:	212
(1) "Tourism development district" means a district	213
designated by a municipal corporation under this section.	214
(2) "Territory of a tourism development district" means	215
all of the area included within the territorial boundaries of a	216
tourism development district.	217
(3) "Business" and "owner" have the same meanings as in	218
section 503.56 of the Revised Code.	219
(4) "Eligible municipal corporation" means a municipal	220
corporation wholly or partly located in a county having a	221
population greater than three hundred seventy-five thousand but	222

less than four hundred thousand that levies taxes under section 223
5739.021 or 5739.026 of the Revised Code, the aggregate rate of 224
which does not exceed one-half of one per cent on September 29, 225
2015. 226

(5) "Fiscal officer" means the city auditor, village 227
clerk, or other municipal officer having the duties and 228
functions of a city auditor or village clerk. 229

(B) (1) The legislative authority of an eligible municipal 230
corporation, by resolution or ordinance, may declare an area of 231
the municipal corporation to be a tourism development district 232
for the purpose of fostering and developing tourism in the 233
district if all of the following criteria are met: 234

(a) The district's area does not exceed six hundred acres. 235

(b) All territory in the district is contiguous. 236

(c) Before adopting the resolution or ordinance, the 237
legislative authority holds at least two public hearings 238
concerning the creation of the tourism development district. 239

(d) Before adopting the resolution or ordinance, the 240
legislative authority receives a petition signed by every record 241
owner of a parcel of real property located in the proposed 242
district and the owner of every business that operates in the 243
proposed district. 244

(e) The legislative authority adopts the resolution or 245
ordinance on or before December 31, 2020. 246

A legislative authority may declare more than one area of 247
the municipal corporation to be a tourism development district 248
under this section. 249

(2) The petition described in division (B) (1) (d) of this 250

section shall include an explanation of the taxes and charges 251
that may be levied or imposed in the proposed district. 252

(3) The legislative authority shall certify the resolution 253
or ordinance to the tax commissioner within five days after its 254
adoption, along with a description of the boundaries of the 255
district authorized in the resolution. That description shall 256
include sufficient information for the commissioner to determine 257
if the address of a vendor is within the boundaries of the 258
district. 259

(4) Subject to the limitations of divisions (B) (1) (a) and 260
(b) of this section, the legislative authority of an eligible 261
municipal corporation may enlarge the territory of an existing 262
tourism development district in the manner prescribed for the 263
creation of a district under divisions (B) (1) to (3) of this 264
section, except that the petition described in division (B) (1) 265
(d) of this section must be signed by every record owner of a 266
parcel of real property located in the area proposed to be added 267
to the district and the owner of every business that operates in 268
the area proposed to be added to the district. 269

(C) For the purpose of fostering and developing tourism in 270
a tourism development district, a lessor leasing real property 271
in a tourism development district may impose and collect a 272
uniform fee on each parcel of real property leased by the 273
lessor, to be paid by each of the person's lessees. A lessee is 274
subject to such a fee only if the lease separately states the 275
amount of the fee. Before a lessor may impose and collect such a 276
fee, the lessor shall file a copy of such lease with the fiscal 277
officer. A lessor that imposes such a fee shall remit all 278
collections of the fee to the municipal corporation in which the 279
real property is located. 280

The legislative authority of that municipal corporation 281
shall establish all regulations necessary to provide for the 282
administration and remittance of such fees. The regulations may 283
prescribe the time for payment of the fee, and may provide for 284
the imposition of a penalty or interest, or both, for late 285
remittances, provided that the penalty does not exceed ten per 286
cent of the amount of fee due, and the rate at which interest 287
accrues does not exceed the rate per annum prescribed pursuant 288
to section 5703.47 of the Revised Code. The regulations shall 289
provide, after deducting the real and actual costs of 290
administering the fee, that the revenue be used exclusively for 291
fostering and developing tourism within the tourism development 292
district. 293

(D) The legislative authority of an eligible municipal 294
corporation that has designated a tourism development district 295
may levy the tax authorized under section 5739.101 of the 296
Revised Code. Nothing in this section limits the power of the 297
legislative authority of a municipal corporation to levy a tax 298
on the basis of admissions in a tourism development district 299
pursuant to its powers of local self-government conferred by 300
Section 3 of Article XVIII, Ohio Constitution. 301

(E) On or before the first day of each January and July, 302
beginning after the designation of ~~the a~~ tourism development 303
district, the fiscal officer shall certify a list of vendors 304
located within the tourism development district to the tax 305
commissioner, which shall include the name, address, and 306
vendor's license number for each vendor. 307

Sec. 940.07. (A) As used in this section: 308

(1) "Judgment" includes a consent judgment. 309

(2) "Tort action" means a civil action for damages for 310
injury, death, or loss to person or property, other than a civil 311
action for damages for a breach of contract or another agreement 312
between persons. 313

(B) Except as provided in divisions (C) and (D) of this 314
section, the provisions of Chapter 2744. of the Revised Code 315
apply to soil and water conservation districts as political 316
subdivisions of the state and to their supervisors and other 317
officers, employees, and agents as employees of political 318
subdivisions of the state. 319

(C) (1) The attorney general, an assistant attorney 320
general, or special counsel appointed by the attorney general 321
shall defend a soil and water conservation district in any tort 322
action that is commenced against the district as a political 323
subdivision of the state under or pursuant to Chapter 2744. of 324
the Revised Code, if a written request for the legal 325
representation is submitted to the attorney general by the Ohio 326
soil and water conservation commission. If a request is so 327
submitted, the prosecuting attorney of the county associated 328
with the district does not have legal representation duties in 329
connection with the tort action under section 940.13 of the 330
Revised Code. 331

(2) The attorney general, an assistant attorney general, 332
or special counsel appointed by the attorney general shall 333
defend a supervisor or other officer, employee, or agent of a 334
soil and water conservation district in any tort action that is 335
commenced against that person and based upon an action or 336
omission allegedly associated with that person's employment or 337
official responsibilities for the district, if both of the 338
following apply: 339

(a) At the time of the action or omission, the person was 340
not acting manifestly outside the scope of the person's 341
employment or official responsibilities for the district or 342
acting with malicious purpose, in bad faith, or in a wanton or 343
reckless manner; 344

(b) A written request for the legal representation is 345
submitted to the attorney general by the Ohio soil and water 346
conservation commission. 347

(3) If a request for legal representation is submitted to 348
the attorney general pursuant to division (C) (2) of this 349
section, divisions (A) ~~(1)~~ and ~~(C)~~ (D) of section 2744.07 of the 350
Revised Code do not apply to the soil and water conservation 351
district and the defense of its supervisor or other officer, 352
employee, or agent. 353

(D) (1) The state shall indemnify and hold harmless a soil 354
and water conservation district as follows: 355

(a) In the amount of any judgment that is rendered against 356
the district in a tort action that is commenced under or 357
pursuant to Chapter 2744. of the Revised Code; 358

(b) In the amount of any settlement of a tort action 359
against the district as described in division (D) (1) (a) of this 360
section, or of a claim for damages for injury, death, or loss to 361
person or property that could become a basis of a tort action 362
against the district as described in division (D) (1) (a) of this 363
section. 364

(2) The state shall indemnify and hold harmless a 365
supervisor or other officer, employee, or agent of a soil and 366
water conservation district as follows: 367

(a) Subject to the limitations specified in division (D) 368

(3) of this section, in the amount of any judgment that is rendered against that person in a tort action based upon an action or omission allegedly associated with the person's employment or official responsibilities for the district;

(b) Subject to the limitations specified in division (D) (3) of this section, in the amount of any settlement of a tort action as described in division (D) (2) (a) of this section or of any settlement of a claim for damages for injury, death, or loss to person or property that could become a basis of a tort action as described in division (D) (2) (a) of this section.

(3) (a) The maximum aggregate amount of indemnification paid directly from state funds to or on behalf of any supervisor or other officer, employee, or agent of a soil and water conservation district pursuant to divisions (D) (2) (a) and (b) of this section shall be one million dollars per occurrence, regardless of the number of persons who suffer injury, death, or loss to person or property as a result of the action or omission of that person.

(b) An indemnification may be made pursuant to division (D) (2) (a) or (b) of this section only if, at the time of the action or omission, the supervisor or other officer, employee, or agent of a soil and water conservation district was not acting manifestly outside the scope of the supervisor's or other officer's, employee's, or agent's employment or official responsibilities for the district or acting with malicious purpose, in bad faith, or in a wanton or reckless manner.

(c) An indemnification shall not be made pursuant to division (D) (2) (a) or (b) of this section for any portion of a consent judgment or settlement that is unreasonable or for any portion of a judgment that represents punitive or exemplary

damages. 399

(4) Division ~~(A)(2)~~ (B) of section 2744.07 of the Revised Code does not apply to a soil and water conservation district, or to any of its supervisors or other officers, employees, or agents, to the extent that division (D) of this section requires the state to indemnify and hold harmless a supervisor or other officer, employee, or agent of that district. 400
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Sec. 2744.07. (A) (1) Except as otherwise provided in ~~this~~ division (A) (2) of this section, a political subdivision shall provide for the defense of an employee, in any state or federal court, in any civil action or proceeding which contains an allegation for damages for injury, death, or loss to person or property caused by an act or omission of the employee in connection with a governmental or proprietary function. ~~The political subdivision has the duty to defend the employee if the act or omission occurred while the employee was acting both in good faith and not manifestly outside the scope of employment or official responsibilities.~~ Amounts expended by a political subdivision in the defense of its employees shall be from funds appropriated for this purpose or from proceeds of insurance. ~~The duty to provide for the defense of an employee specified in this division does not apply in a civil action or proceeding that is commenced by or on behalf of a political subdivision.~~ 406
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(2) A political subdivision does not have the duty to provide for the defense of an employee under division (A) (1) of this section if any of the following apply: 422
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(a) The act or omission occurred while the employee was not acting in good faith. 425
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(b) The act or omission occurred while the employee was 427

acting manifestly outside the scope of the employee's employment 428
or official responsibilities. 429

(c) The civil action or proceeding is commenced by or on 430
behalf of a political subdivision. 431

(d) The employee is an employee of a regional council of 432
governments established under Chapter 167. of the Revised Code 433
and both of the following apply: 434

(i) The employee is not also an employee of a political 435
subdivision that is a member of the council. 436

(ii) The act or omission, if proven, would constitute a 437
violation of Chapter 102. or Chapter 2921. of the Revised Code. 438

(B) (1) Except as otherwise provided in ~~this~~ division (B) 439
(2) of this section, a political subdivision shall indemnify and 440
hold harmless an employee in the amount of any judgment, other 441
than a judgment for punitive or exemplary damages, that is 442
obtained against the employee in a state or federal court or as 443
a result of a law of a foreign jurisdiction and that is for 444
damages for injury, death, or loss to person or property caused 445
by an act or omission in connection with a governmental or 446
proprietary function, ~~if at the time of the act or omission the~~ 447
~~employee was acting in good faith and within the scope of~~ 448
~~employment or official responsibilities.~~ 449

(2) A political subdivision is not required to indemnify 450
and hold harmless an employee under division (B) (1) of this 451
section if any of the following apply: 452

(a) At the time of the act or omission, the employee was 453
not acting in good faith. 454

(b) At the time of the act or omission, the employee was 455

not acting within the scope of the employee's employment or 456
official responsibilities. 457

(c) The employee is an employee of a regional council of 458
governments established under Chapter 167. of the Revised Code 459
and both of the following apply: 460

(i) The employee is not also an employee of a political 461
subdivision that is a member of the council. 462

(ii) The act or omission constitutes a violation of 463
Chapter 102. or Chapter 2921. of the Revised Code. 464

~~(B)~~ (C) (1) A political subdivision may enter into a consent 465
judgment or settlement and may secure releases from liability 466
for itself or an employee, with respect to any claim for injury, 467
death, or loss to person or property caused by an act or 468
omission in connection with a governmental or proprietary 469
function. 470

(2) No action or appeal of any kind shall be brought by 471
any person, including any employee or a taxpayer, with respect 472
to the decision of a political subdivision pursuant to division 473
~~(B)~~ (C) (1) of this section whether to enter into a consent 474
judgment or settlement or to secure releases, or concerning the 475
amount and circumstances of a consent judgment or settlement. 476
Amounts expended for any settlement shall be from funds 477
appropriated for this purpose. 478

~~(C)~~ (D) If a political subdivision refuses to provide an 479
employee with a defense in a civil action or proceeding as 480
described in division (A) ~~(1)~~ of this section, upon the motion of 481
the political subdivision, the court shall conduct a hearing 482
regarding the political subdivision's duty to defend the 483
employee in that civil action. The political subdivision shall 484

file the motion within thirty days of the close of discovery in 485
the action. After the motion is filed, the employee shall have 486
not less than thirty days to respond to the motion. 487

At the request of the political subdivision or the 488
employee, the court shall order the motion to be heard at an 489
oral hearing. At the hearing on the motion, the court shall 490
consider all evidence and arguments submitted by the parties. ~~In~~ 491
~~determining whether a political subdivision has a duty to defend~~ 492
~~the employee in the action, the~~ The court shall determine 493
whether the ~~employee was acting both in good faith and not~~ 494
~~manifestly outside the scope of employment or official~~ 495
~~responsibilities~~ political subdivision has the duty to defend 496
the employee under division (A) of this section. The pleadings 497
shall not be determinative of whether the employee acted in good 498
faith or was manifestly outside the scope of employment or 499
official responsibilities. 500

If the court determines that the ~~employee was acting both~~ 501
~~in good faith and not manifestly outside the scope of employment~~ 502
~~or official responsibilities~~ political subdivision has the duty 503
to defend the employee under division (A) of this section, the 504
court shall order the political subdivision to defend the 505
employee in the action. 506

Sec. 3901.82. The "Restatement of the Law, Liability 507
Insurance" that was approved at the 2018 annual meeting of the 508
American law institute does not constitute the public policy of 509
this state and is not an appropriate subject of notice. 510

Sec. 5534.403. In addition to any other name prescribed in 511
the Revised Code or otherwise, the eastbound and westbound lanes 512
of interstate route number two hundred seventy, commencing at 513
the interchange of that route and state route number three and 514

extending in a westerly direction to the intersection of 515
interstate route number two hundred seventy and Cleveland 516
avenue, in Franklin County, shall be known as the "Officers 517
Anthony Morelli and Eric Joering Memorial Highway." 518

The director of transportation may erect suitable markers 519
along the highway indicating its name. 520

Sec. 5534.811. In addition to any other name prescribed in 521
the Revised Code or otherwise, the eastbound and westbound lanes 522
of United States route number twenty-four between the eastern 523
border of Henry county and the western border of Henry county, 524
shall be known as the "Henry County Veterans Highway." 525

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Sec. 5534.911. In addition to any other name prescribed by 528
the Revised Code or otherwise, the southbound and northbound 529
lanes of the road known as United States route number thirty- 530
three, between the intersection of that route and the northern 531
border of Meigs county and the intersection of that route and 532
state route number six hundred eighty-one, in Meigs county, 533
shall be known as the "Steve Story Memorial Highway." 534

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Section 2. That existing sections 102.01, 167.02, 167.04, 537
167.07, 715.014, 940.07, and 2744.07 of the Revised Code are 538
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