

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 2450 Session of 2014

INTRODUCED BY GILLESPIE, AUMENT, BAKER, BARRAR, BENNINGHOFF, BROOKS, BROWNLEE, CALTAGIRONE, CARROLL, CLYMER, COHEN, D. COSTA, DENLINGER, DONATUCCI, ELLIS, FARINA, FLECK, GABLER, GINGRICH, GOODMAN, GRELL, GROVE, HAHN, HARHART, C. HARRIS, HEFFLEY, HENNESSEY, HICKERNELL, KNOWLES, LUCAS, MAJOR, MARSICO, McNEILL, METCALFE, MICOZZIE, MILLARD, MIRABITO, MURT, O'NEILL, PASHINSKI, READSHAW, ROCK, SABATINA, SAYLOR, SCHREIBER, SONNEY, TALLMAN, THOMAS, TOEPEL, VEREB AND WATSON, AUGUST 28, 2014

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, AUGUST 28, 2014

AN ACT

1 Designating a bridge on that portion of State Route 181 over the
 2 Conewago Creek, between Newberry Township and East Manchester
 3 Township, York County, as the SP4 Randy Stephen Schell
 4 Memorial Bridge.

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

7 Section 1. SP4 Randy Stephen Schell Memorial Bridge.

8 (a) Findings.--

9 (1) SP4 Randy Stephen Schell was a native of Mount Wolf,
 10 York County, and a graduate of Northeastern High School.

11 (2) SP4 Schell served from 1967 to 1968 with the United
 12 States Army, Company C, 1st Battalion, 26th Infantry.

13 (3) On June 18, 1968, in a display of selfless courage
 14 during an attack by the Viet Cong, SP4 Schell moved into an
 15 area under enemy assault and administered first aid to

1 several wounded comrades. After dragging his fellow soldiers
2 to safety, SP4 Schell disregarded the great personal risk and
3 returned to search for injured soldiers when he was mortally
4 wounded by enemy sniper fire.

5 (4) SP4 Schell was awarded the Silver Star, Bronze Star,
6 Purple Heart, National Defense Vietnam Service Medal,
7 Vietnamese Military Merit Medal, Vietnam Gallantry Cross and
8 Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal.

9 (b) Designation.--The bridge located on State Route 181 over
10 the Conewago Creek between Newberry Township and East Manchester
11 Township, York County, is hereby designated the SP4 Randy
12 Stephen Schell Memorial Bridge.

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

16 Section 2. Effective date.

17 This act shall take effect in 60 days.