

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 4617**

---

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

*Smitty Pignatelli and Paul W. Mark*

*To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:*

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act designating a portion of state highway route 7 in the town of Sheffield as the Brigadier-General John G. Barnard highway.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Smitty Pignatelli</i>	<i>3rd Berkshire</i>	<i>3/21/2024</i>
<i>Paul W. Mark</i>	<i>Berkshire, Hampden, Franklin and Hampshire</i>	<i>3/26/2024</i>

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 4617**

By Representative Pignatelli of Lenox and Senator Mark, a joint petition (subject to Joint Rule 12) of Smitty Pignatelli and Paul W. Mark that a certain portion of state highway Route 7 in the town of Sheffield be designated as the Brigadier-General John G. Barnard highway. Transportation.

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Third General Court  
(2023-2024)**

An Act designating a portion of state highway route 7 in the town of Sheffield as the Brigadier-General John G. Barnard highway.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:*

1           The portion of state highway route 7 in the town of Sheffield from the Sheffield  
2   American Legion Hall to the Barnard Park of Honor shall be designated and known as the  
3   Brigadier-General John G. Barnard Highway, in honor of Brigadier-General John G. Barnard, for  
4   his dedicated service in the United States Army as Chief Engineer of the Civil War Defenses of  
5   Washington. The Massachusetts Department of Transportation is hereby directed to erect  
6   suitable markers along said highway bearing said designation in accordance with the standards of  
7   the department.