## THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

## **HOUSE BILL**

No. 2821 Session of 2022

INTRODUCED BY POLINCHOCK, CONKLIN, GILLEN, HENNESSEY, HILL-EVANS, JAMES, MILLARD, RYAN, SONNEY AND STAATS, SEPTEMBER 16, 2022

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, SEPTEMBER 16, 2022

## AN ACT

- Designating a portion of Pennsylvania Route 611 from the intersection of Upper Barness Road and K Street (Segment 0040/Offset 2133) to the intersection of Park Road (Segment 0050/Offset 908) in Warrington Township, Bucks County, as the William Bell, Sr., Memorial Highway.
- 6 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 7 hereby enacts as follows:
- 8 Section 1. William Bell, Sr., Memorial Highway.
- 9 (a) Findings.--The General Assembly finds and declares as
- 10 follows:
- 11 (1) William Bell, Sr., was a firefighter and fire police
- 12 captain who lost his life in the line of duty while directing
- 13 traffic at an accident scene near Upper Barness Road in
- Warrington Township on January 19, 1964.
- 15 (2) It was reported that two vehicles were racing in the
- southbound lanes and when the two vehicles crested the hill
- just above the accident scene, they attempted to avoid the
- 18 crash and struck Mr. Bell.
- 19 (b) Designation. -- The section of Pennsylvania Route 611 from

- 1 the intersection of Upper Barness Road and K Street (Segment
- 2 0040/Offset 2133) to the intersection of Park Road (Segment
- 3 0050/Offset 908) in Warrington Township, Bucks County, is
- 4 designated the William Bell, Sr., Memorial Highway.
- 5 (c) Signs.--The Department of Transportation shall erect and
- 6 maintain appropriate signs displaying the name of the highway to
- 7 traffic in both directions on the highway.
- 8 Section 2. Effective date.
- 9 This act shall take effect in 60 days.