

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILLNo. **1315** Session of
2015

INTRODUCED BY HUTCHINSON, JUNE 14, 2016

REFERRED TO TRANSPORTATION, JUNE 14, 2016

AN ACT

1 Designating a bridge on that portion of State Route 4010 over
2 Sugar Creek, Sugarcreek Borough, Venango County, as the
3 Lieutenant Andrew J. White Memorial Bridge.

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

6 Section 1. Lieutenant Andrew J. White Memorial Bridge.

7 (a) Findings.--The General Assembly finds and declares as
8 follows:

9 (1) Lieutenant Andrew J. White was a 12-year veteran of
10 the fire service. He came from a family of firefighters,
11 starting his career in the fire service at 14 years of age
12 when he was inducted into the Rocky Grove Volunteer Fire
13 Department as a junior firefighter. At 16 years of age he
14 became an active firefighter and regular member of the Rocky
15 Grove Volunteer Fire Department.

16 (2) Lt. White participated in training and progressed
17 through the Rocky Grove Volunteer Fire Department. He later
18 became an emergency medical technician and served as
19 Lieutenant of Rocky Grove's Station #2 from 1999 to 2001.

1 (3) Lt. White was killed in the line of duty on January
2 11, 2001, while fighting a structure fire with the Rocky
3 Grove Volunteer Fire Department.

4 (4) Lt. White lived in the Sugarcreek area his entire
5 life. The Sugarcreek Bridge is within one-half mile of where
6 he resided, and he had traversed this bridge countless times
7 when responding to calls during his service with the Rocky
8 Grove Volunteer Fire Department.

9 (b) Designation.--The bridge located on that portion of
10 State Route 4010 over Sugar Creek, Sugarcreek Borough, Venango
11 County, commonly known as the Sugarcreek Bridge or Twin Bridges,
12 is hereby designated the Lieutenant Andrew J. White Memorial
13 Bridge.

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

17 Section 2. Effective date.

18 This act shall take effect in 60 days.