



S.B. 229*

123rd General Assembly
(As Reported by S. Highways & Transportation)

Sens. Kearns, Nein, Johnson, Drake, Blessing, Prentiss

BILL SUMMARY

- Designates a portion of United States Route 40 within Clark County, from the junction with State Route 235 to the junction with Gordon Road at the Bethel Township line, as the "Wayne Embry Way."
- Authorizes the Director of Transportation to erect suitable markers along the highway indicating its name.

COMMENT

Wayne Embry, a native of Springfield (Clark County), Ohio, played basketball for Miami University, and professionally for the Cincinnati Royals, Boston Celtics, and Milwaukee Bucks. He became the National Basketball Association's first African-American general manager in 1972. He also served as the general manager for the Indiana Pacers and as the general manager and president of the Cleveland Cavaliers. In 1999, he was inducted into the Naismith Memorial Basketball Hall of Fame.

HISTORY

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