



# Ohio Legislative Service Commission

## Bill Analysis

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(As Reported by H. Transportation, Public Safety & Homeland Security)

**Sens.** Manning and Wagoner, Brown, Hughes, Seitz, Cafaro, Bacon, Balderson, Beagle, Burke, Coley, Eklund, Faber, Gentile, Hite, Jones, Kearney, LaRose, Lehner, Niehaus, Obhof, Oelslager, Patton, Peterson, Sawyer, Schaffer, Schiavoni, Tavares, Widener

**Reps.** Damschroder, Celebrezze, Johnson, O'Brien, Patmon, Ruhl, Uecker

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## BILL SUMMARY

- Designates the bridge spanning the Vermillion River that is part of State Route 113 and is located in the community of Birmingham in Erie County, as the "Staff Sgt. James P. Hunter Memorial Bridge" and authorizes the Director of Transportation to erect suitable markers upon the bridge or its approaches indicating its name.<sup>1</sup>
- Designates part of State Route 800, commencing at the northeast border of Freeport in Harrison County and extending in a northeasterly direction to the intersection of State Route 800 and State Route 799, as the "Trooper George Conn Memorial Highway" and authorizes the Director of Transportation to erect suitable markers along the highway indicating its name.<sup>2</sup>

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## COMMENTS

Staff Sgt. James P. Hunter, an Army journalist, died in Afghanistan on June 18, 2010 of injuries sustained when insurgents attacked his unit with an improvised explosive device.

State Highway Patrol Trooper George Conn was shot and killed while on duty near Freeport on September 27, 1937.

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<sup>1</sup> R.C. 5533.181.

<sup>2</sup> R.C. 5533.688.

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## HISTORY

ACTION	DATE
Introduced	02-14-12
Reported, S. Highways & Transportation	03-22-12
Passed Senate (33-0)	03-27-12
Reported, H. Transportation, Public Safety & Homeland Security	06-13-12

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