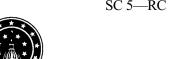
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DIGEST OF RESOLUTION

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION urging the Indiana Department of Transportation to rename a section of State Road 13 in Madison County, beginning at 1795 South Anderson Street and ending one mile south on State Road 13, the "Officer Noah Jacob Shahnavaz Memorial Mile".

Gaskill

January 23, 2023, read first time and referred to Committee on Homeland Security and Transportation. February 7, 2023, reported favorably — Do Pass.



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2	Department of Transportation to rename a section of State Road
3	13 in Madison County, beginning at 1795 South Anderson
4	Street and ending one mile south on State Road 13, the "Officer
5	Noah Jacob Shahnavaz Memorial Mile".
6	Whereas, Officer Noah Jacob Shahnavaz was born on May
7	18, 1998, to Matthew and Laurie (Bousman) Shahnavaz in
8	Indianapolis, Indiana;
9	Whereas, Noah attended Fishers High School, where he
10	was a freshman wrestler and a four-year member of the drum
11	line while also dedicating time towards early law enforcement
12	training through the J. Everett Light Law Enforcement
13	program;
14	Whereas, Following his high school graduation in 2016,
15	Noah enlisted in the United States Army, where he served as a
16	Sergeant in the 93D Military Police Battalion, deployed to the
17	Middle East from June 2017 to February 2018, and
18	participated in two border missions;
19	Whereas, Upon discharge from the Army in 2021, Noah
20	became an officer for the Elwood Police Department,
21	graduating from the Indiana Law Enforcement Academy in
22	April 2022;
23	Whereas, On July 31, 2022, Officer Shahnavaz initiated a
24	routine traffic stop on State Road 13 in Elwood, Indiana, which
25	culminated with the driver fatally shooting Officer Shahnavaz



1	near the intersection of State Road 13/37 and West 1000 North
2	before driving away; and
3	Whereas, Officer Shahnavaz's lifelong dedication to public
4	service for his state and country should be celebrated and
5	remembered by family, friends, and those traveling through
6	Madison County for years to come: Therefore,
7	Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly
8	of the State of Indiana, the House of Representatives
9	concurring:
10	SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly urges the
11	Indiana Department of Transportation to rename a section of
12	State Road 13 in Madison County, beginning at 1795 South
13	Anderson Street and ending one mile south on State Road 13.
14	the "Officer Noah Jacob Shahnavaz Memorial Mile".
15	SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed
16	to transmit copies of this Resolution to the family of Officer
17	Noah Jacob Shahnavaz and the Commissioner of the Indiana
18	Department of Transportation.



COMMITTEE REPORT

Madam President: The Senate Committee on Homeland Security and Transportation, to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said resolution DO PASS.

(Reference is to SC 5 as introduced.)

CRIDER, Chairperson

Committee Vote: Yeas 9, Nays 0

