

**SENATE CONCURRENT
RESOLUTION No. _____**

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED RESOLUTION

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2 Department of Transportation to rename Bridge
3 256-039-00469, located on State Road 256 in Kent, Indiana, the
4 "Greg Cloud Memorial Bridge".

5 *Whereas, Gregory Allen "Greg" Cloud was born on June*
6 *21, 1974, in Madison, Indiana, to Dennis Ray and Pamela Sue*
7 *Watterson Cloud;*

8 *Whereas, Greg graduated from Southwestern High School*
9 *in Jefferson County in 1992 before attending Ivy Tech and*
10 *Indiana University Southeast, where he obtained his waste*
11 *water license;*

12 *Whereas, Following graduation, Greg worked as a tow*
13 *motor operator at the Wal-Mart distribution Center in Seymour*
14 *before transitioning to Arkema in Carrolltown, Kentucky,*
15 *where he served as power house operator, TRS, and waste*
16 *management;*

17 *Whereas, Greg served in the Indiana National Guard and*
18 *was an avid fisherman, hunter, and member of the Madison*
19 *Bass Masters Club;*

20 *Whereas, Consistently focused on helping those in the*
21 *community, Greg began serving as firefighter number 2308 for*
22 *the Kent Volunteer Fire Company in 2003 was a member of*
23 *Arkema Fire Brigade, and went to the Texas A&M fire school*
24 *in the fall of 2005;*



1 *Whereas, In the early morning of Wednesday, November 1,*
2 *2006, twelve fire departments, including the Kent Volunteer*
3 *Fire Company, were called into action for a farmhouse fire*
4 *near Kent, Indiana;*

5 *Whereas, Just before 4:30 a.m., then-three-year veteran*
6 *Greg and four other firefighters from Kent Volunteer Fire*
7 *Company and the Hanover Volunteer Fire Department were*
8 *sent into the home to help drive back flames;*

9 *Whereas, After only four minutes in the home, the Hanover*
10 *Fire Chief began pulling firefighters out due to the thickness of*
11 *the smoke spreading through the home;*

12 *Whereas, After retreating, the group realized that Greg was*
13 *missing, and he was later found by a four-member rescue team*
14 *on the second floor;*

15 *Whereas, Greg gave the ultimate sacrifice for the safety of*
16 *those in his community, leaving behind his wife, Melinda*
17 *"Mindy" Sue Aulbach Cloud, his parents, his brother, and many*
18 *others; and*

19 *Whereas, In honor of his life of service and sacrifice, it is*
20 *fitting to rename Bridge 256-039-00469, NBI#030880, located*
21 *on State Road 256 in Kent, Indiana, the "Greg Cloud Memorial*
22 *Bridge": Therefore,*

23 *Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly*
24 *of the State of Indiana, the House of Representatives*
25 *concurring:*

26 SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly urges the
27 Indiana Department of Transportation to rename Bridge 256-
28 039-00469, located on State Road 256 in Kent, Indiana, the
29 "Greg Cloud Memorial Bridge".

30 SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed
31 to transmit copies of this Resolution to the Commissioner of the
32 Indiana Department of Transportation.

