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**MEMORANDUM**

TO: All House Members

FROM: Representative Matt Gabler *MG*

SUBJECT: Introduction of Legislation – Naming of US Route 219 Bypass in Johnsonburg, Elk County as the Johnsonburg Veterans' Bypass (formerly HB 2621 of 2009-10)

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In the near future, I intend to introduce legislation to name the newly constructed US Route 219 Bypass in Johnsonburg, Elk County as the Johnsonburg Veterans' Bypass.

The town of Johnsonburg has always taken great pride in its veterans. During World War II, Johnsonburg was recognized as the small town in the United States having the greatest percentage of veterans relative to its population. The commitment of Johnsonburg residents to our nation's military continues to be very strong today.

This legislation is the result of a town meeting in which a resident of Johnsonburg presented a petition with hundreds of signatures requesting the new bypass be named for all of Johnsonburg's veterans -- past, present and future.

If you would like to sign on as a cosponsor of this bill, please contact my secretary, Alexandra Baldivieso at 717-260-6142 or at [abaldivi@pahousegop.com](mailto:abaldivi@pahousegop.com).

Previous cosponsors: BAKER, BEAR, BELFANTI, BENNINGHOFF, BEYER, BRADFORD, BROOKS, CALTAGIRONE, CAUSER, CHRISTIANA, CONKLIN, CREIGHTON, CUTLER, DALEY, DENLINGER, DIGIROLAMO, FAIRCHILD, FARRY, FLECK, GINGRICH, GOODMAN, GROVE, HAHN, HARHART, HARKINS, HELM, HENNESSEY, HESS, HICKERNELL, KAUFFMAN, KELLER(M), KILLION, KIRKLAND, KNOWLES, KORTZ, MAHONEY, MAJOR, MARSICO, MELIO, METZGAR, MICCARELLI, MILLARD, MILNE, MUSTIO, OBERLANDER, ONEILL, PAYNE, PHILLIPS, PICKETT, PYLE, QUINN, RAPP, READSHAW, ROAE, ROCK, ROSS, SAYLOR, SCAVELLO, SIPTROTH, SONNEY, STERN, STEVENSON, SWANGER, TRUE, YOUNGBLOOD