

**SENATE CONCURRENT  
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*Whereas, Trooper William R. Rayner was a faithful servant to the State of Indiana for nine years between 1957 and 1966, serving his community as a law enforcement officer;*

*Whereas, on December 18, 1966, while working night patrol in Decatur County, Trooper William R. Rayner was shot and killed during a routine traffic stop;*

*Whereas, Trooper Rayner was unaware that the stopped car bearing a Kentucky license plate, had been reported stolen; and*

*Whereas, after Trooper Rayner questioned the two occupants and requested that they exit the car, the passenger of the stolen vehicle fired several shots at Trooper Rayner, killing him: Therefore,*

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



1           SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly recognizes the  
2 service and dedication of Trooper William R. Rayner to the State of  
3 Indiana.

4           SECTION 2. That the Indiana General Assembly requests the  
5 Indiana Department of Transportation memorialize Trooper Rayner's  
6 commitment to Indiana as a servant of the community by designating  
7 the stretch of highway on I-74 from the 134 mile marker to the 142  
8 mile marker as the "Trooper William Rayner Memorial Highway."

9           SECTION 3. The Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed to  
10 transmit a copy of this Resolution to the Indiana Department of  
11 Transportation.

