

ACTS AND RESOLUTIONS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA 2019

Act 309

Senate Resolution 67, Part III

Effective May 7, 2019

DICK CAMPBELL BRIDGE — DESIGNATED.

A RESOLUTION

Dedicating certain portions of the state highway system; and for other purposes.

WHEREAS, Mr. Dick Campbell has long been recognized by the citizens of this state for the vital role that he played in leadership and his deep personal commitment to the welfare of the people of Towns County, Georgia; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Campbell moved to Towns County in 1936 and shortly thereafter purchased the Alexander Griss Mill, which provided flour and cornmeal; and

WHEREAS, years later he opened a country store next to the Crooked Creek Bridge, where he sold clothing and groceries to the people of Towns County and became a fixture of the local community; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Campbell was known for his kindness, generosity, and understanding, always going out of his way to help others in need; and

WHEREAS, he was responsible for ensuring that many hungry children were fed when their families struggled to put food on the family table; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Campbell arranged for local children to pick blackberries to sell at his store or be purchased by other stores; and

WHEREAS, a man of deep and abiding faith, Mr. Campbell was a good natured man who also served as constable for the community of Brasstown; and

WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments and contributions of this remarkable and distinguished Georgian be recognized appropriately by dedicating a bridge in his memory.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA, that the bridge on State Route 66 in Towns County, over the Crooked Creek/Brasstown Creek, is dedicated as the Dick Campbell Bridge.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Department of Transportation is authorized and directed to erect and maintain appropriate signs dedicating the road facilities named in this Resolution.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed to make appropriate copies of this Resolution available for distribution to the Department of Transportation and the family of Mr. Dick Campbell.