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1 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, It is highly fitting that the Illinois General
3 Assembly pays honor and respect to individuals who have given
4 their lives in service to their communities; and

5 WHEREAS, Wayne County Sheriff's Deputy Sean Riley was
6 killed in the line of duty on December 29, 2021; and

7 WHEREAS, Deputy Riley was born to Doug and Mary Jo (Hill)
8 Riley on November 5, 1983; he married Leslie Young on August
9 11, 2007; and

10 WHEREAS, Deputy Riley was a three-year veteran of the
11 Wayne County Sheriff's Department, where he served as both a
12 corrections officer and patrol deputy; and

13 WHEREAS, Deputy Riley was preceded in death by his mother,
14 Mary Jo Riley; and

15 WHEREAS, At the time of his passing, Deputy Riley was
16 survived by his wife, Leslie; his children, Logan Brown,
17 Deegan Riley, and Mia Jo Riley; his father, Doug Riley; his
18 sister, Spring (Darrin) Bonney; his mother-in-law, Glenda
19 Young; his sister-in-law, Glenna (Jim) Michael; and several
20 aunts, uncles, cousins, and a special aunt, Margaret (Joe)

1 Molt; therefore, be it

2 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE
3 HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE
4 SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that we designate Interstate 64 in
5 Wayne County from Mile Post 112 to 116 as the "Deputy Sean
6 Riley Memorial Highway"; and be it further

7 RESOLVED, That the Illinois Department of Transportation
8 is requested to erect at suitable locations, consistent with
9 State and federal regulations, appropriate plaques or signs
10 giving notice of the name "Deputy Sean Riley Memorial
11 Highway"; and be it further

12 RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be
13 presented to the family of Deputy Riley and the Secretary of
14 Transportation.