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DETAILED ANALYSIS

The bill designates the following highway and authorizes the Director of Transportation to erect suitable markers along the highway indicating its name:

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| Designated Name | "Marine Corporal Tim W. Russell Highway" ¹ |
| Highway | The northbound and southbound lanes of State Route 60, between Sailorway Drive and Sperry Road, in Erie County |
| Other Information | Corporal Russell served in the U.S. Marine Corps as a squad leader during the Vietnam War. When his headquarters were attacked by the Vietcong, Russell was critically wounded, but refused medical attention and helped direct his squad's fire to the enemy. The Vietcong were forced to retreat, which saved the Marine headquarters and their line. Russell was awarded the Navy Cross, the Bronze Star, and the Purple Heart for his heroism, and was inducted into the Ohio Military Hall of Fame in 2016. Russell is a current resident of Vermillion. |

HISTORY

| Action | Date |
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¹ R.C. 5534.654.