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Fiscal Note & Local Impact Statement

Bill: H.B. 324 of the 132nd G.A. **Status:** As Reported by House Transportation and Public Safety

Sponsor: Reps. Ashford and Sheehy Local Impact Statement Procedure Required: No

Subject: Designates the Toledo Firefighters J. Dickman and S. Machcinski Memorial Highway

As a result of the bill, the Ohio Department of Transportation (ODOT) will incur a minimal cost for producing and installing memorial signs. The bill designates a span of Interstate Route 75 within Lucas County as the Toledo Firefighters J. Dickman and S. Machcinski Memorial Highway. Specifically, the designation is to be placed on I-75 between Nebraska Avenue and Monroe Street in Toledo.

If a memorial highway is located on an interstate route, ODOT produces and installs the signs. According to ODOT, the cost of producing and installing a set of signs for memorial highways and bridges is approximately \$350 to \$400, including materials and labor. Two markers are usually installed, one in each direction at each location. Once a set of signs is installed, there are typically no maintenance costs unless the signs are damaged. Signs usually need to be replaced every 12 to 15 years.

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