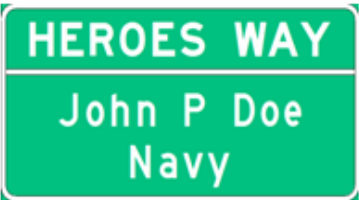




Heroes Way Naming Application Form

Missouri Department of Transportation



The following items must be submitted with this completed form:

- Participation fee payable to: Director of Revenue - Credit State Road Fund
- Proof the designee was in U.S. Armed Forces verifying designee had been killed in action while performing military duty

Step 1

Legislative Sponsor: _____ Room #: _____ Phone #: _____

☐ Missouri Senate ☐ Missouri House of Representatives

Step 2

Applicant: _____ **Organization:** _____
(if applicable)

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone #: _____ E-mail: _____

Step 3

By signing this document as the applicant, I understand I am certifying I am related to the designee by way of marriage, adoption, or that I am his/her mother, father, brother or sister as required by State Statue. Falsifying this information will void the request and could result in loss of fees and sign installation.

Applicant Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Relationship to designee: _____ Was Designee a Missouri Resident: ☐ Yes ☐ No

Step 4

Memorial Name Requested
The proposed name may have a maximum of one line with 25 characters, including spaces. *(Subject to Design Limitations)*

Line 1: Designee’s first name, middle initial, last name (Ranks/Titles are optional & must be abbreviated)

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Line 2: Branch of service: *(check appropriate box)*

☐ Army ☐ Navy ☐ Marines ☐ Airforce

Step 5

Call 1-573-751-7643 - MoDOT, confirming availability of interchange, bridge or segment of highway and the current participation fee.

1) List the State Highway/Bridge/Interchange, and exit numbers/intersection, and nearby City/Town of the requested location.
(Interchange example: I-70 at Exit 148, US 54 at Kingdom City)
(Bridge example: bridge on Hwy. CC crossing over North Fork White River)
(Segment of Highway example: 1/2 mile south of Hwy. A to the intersection of US 54 on Hwy. 160)

2) List the County in which the interchange, bridge or segment of highway is located:

3) **Designation Type, check one:** ☐ Interchange ☐ Bridge ☐ Segment of Highway

Step 6

Information Supporting Designation

Step 7

☐ By marking this box the applicant is requesting to receive a PDF proof of the Memorial Sign Design and acceptance of the following terms. *(PDF proof allows applicant to utilize a local company to fabricate commemorative signs for their own personal use. PDF proof will be provided electronically to the applicant’s email, if provided.)*

I, the applicant, agree to follow all state and federal statutes and regulations pertaining to this program. Further, receipt of a PDF proof of the requested sign does not authorize the fabrication or installation of the sign on or near any portion of the State Highway System. I hereby acknowledge that such installation is unlawful. I further acknowledge and agree that unlawfully installed signs will be removed at my expense and will become property of MoDOT.

Questions or concerns regarding application, call Highway Safety and Traffic Division at 1-573-751-7643

Instructions to Applicant:

In order to be considered, the application must be completed and submitted to the Missouri Department of Transportation along with the appropriate fees, and proof the designee was in the U.S. Armed Forces and had been killed in action. Check or money order (cash not accepted) made payable to the Director of Revenue - Credit State Road Fund.

- Step 1

Fill in the name and district of at least one current member of the Missouri General Assembly who will sponsor the memorial designation for the interchange. The sponsor should serve the community where the memorial designation is located.
- Step 2

Fill in the your name, address, city, state, zip code, telephone number, and e-mail address.
- Step 3

Sign signature line certifying you are in fact related to the designee by way of marriage, adoption, or that you are the designee’s spouse, child, mother, father, brother, sister as required by State Statue. Indicate your relationship to the designee. The designee must have been a Missouri resident.
- Step 4

List the designee’s name - (First, Middle Initial, Last) as you would like to see displayed on the sign. Ranks and titles are optional, if included must be abbreviated. he number of characters are limited to the boxes shown on the application. Check the box for the appropriate branch of service the designee served in at the time of death.
- Step 5

Prior to completing application in full, call MoDOT’s Highway Safety and Traffic Division at 1-573-751-7643, confirming availability of interchange, bridge or segment of highway and the current fee. Upon confirmation of location availability, describe the location in detail and the county where the highway/bridge/intersection is located.
- Step 6

Provide background information or historical information supporting the memorial designation.
- Step 7

A PDF proof of the memorial sign design may be available upon request of the applicant and must be indicated on the application. Once the application is approved, the PDF proof will be provided electronically to the applicant’s email, if provided.
- Step 8

Submit completed application, payment, and proof the designee was in the U.S. Armed Forces verifying the person was killed in action to the Missouri Department of Transportation to the address shown below.

Additional Information:

- The department will submit the application and all supporting documentation to the Joint Committee on Transportation Oversight for their approval or denial.
- The department will notify the applicant of the approval or denial of the proposed memorial designation. If the designation is not approved, 97% of the application fee will be returned to the applicant.
- Two signs will be erected per each interchange, bridge or segment of highway designation.
- Sign Placement:
 - 1) One sign each will be placed within the triangle area between the mainline and ramp of the interchange designation.

or
 - 2) One sign each will be placed at the beginning and end of the bridge or segment of highway designation.
- The signs remain the property of the Missouri Department of Transportation.
- Website for more information - www.modot.org/heroes-way-designation-program
- Questions or concerns regarding application, call Highway Safety and Traffic Division at 1-573-751-7643.
- After 19 years, the applicant must contact the Missouri Department of Transportation to sign a new 20-year application form and pay a second application fee if applicant wishes to continue the memorial designation.

Submit To:

Missouri Department of Transportation
Highway Safety and Traffic Division
PO Box 270
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102