

1 A JOINT RESOLUTION designating the bridge on Kentucky Route 2030 in Floyd
2 County as the "Will Carroll Memorial Bridge."

3 WHEREAS, Will Carroll was born September 16, 1947, the loving son of Trimble
4 Matthew Carroll and Mary Elizabeth Carver Carroll; and

5 WHEREAS, Will Carroll was a SP4 in the United States Army and served in the
6 Vietnam War from May 31, 1968, until September 12, 1972; and

7 WHEREAS, for his service, Will Carroll was awarded the National Defense Service
8 Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal with Bronze Stars, the Republic of Vietnam
9 Campaign Medal, the Republic of Vietnam Cross of Gallantry with Palm, and three
10 Overseas Service Bars, and he received the Good Conduct Medal Award twice; and

11 WHEREAS, Will Carroll died on October 20, 2007, having had a feeding tube due
12 to the removal of part of his left jaw and tongue as a result of his service in Vietnam; and

13 WHEREAS, Will Carroll was survived by his loving sisters, Martha Carroll
14 Hamilton, Flossie Carroll Slone, and Dolly Carroll Hunter; and

15 WHEREAS, at the time of his death, Will Carroll was the highest decorated soldier
16 in Kentucky; and

17 WHEREAS, the Commonwealth of Kentucky is deeply grateful for the sacrifices
18 and services of Will Carroll; and

19 WHEREAS, the passing of Will Carroll left a void that cannot be filled and he is
20 mourned across the length and breadth of the Commonwealth;

21 NOW, THEREFORE,

22 ***Be it resolved by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:***

23 ➔Section 1. The Transportation Cabinet shall designate the bridge on Kentucky
24 Route 2030 in Floyd County as the "Will Carroll Memorial Bridge" and shall, within 30
25 days of the effective date of this Resolution, erect appropriate signs denoting this
26 designation.