

1 A JOINT RESOLUTION directing the Transportation Cabinet to designate the
2 Private Clarence "Joe" Aubrey Memorial Bridge in Spencer County.

3 WHEREAS, Private Clarence "Joe" Aubrey, born June 14, 1895, was one of five
4 sons of B.T. and Sarah Jane Aubrey who volunteered for service at the beginning of
5 World War I; and

6 WHEREAS, Private Clarence "Joe" Aubrey was the first brother called to service
7 on September 6, 1917, at Taylorsville, Kentucky, and he left the United States on April
8 19, 1918; and

9 WHEREAS, Private Clarence "Joe" Aubrey served in England, France, and
10 Germany, and was on the front lines from June 21 to November 11, 1918, including the
11 Meuse-Argonne sector, from November 5 to November 11, 1918; and

12 WHEREAS, in the Meuse-Argonne offensive near Fontaines, France, on November
13 7, 1918, Private Clarence "Joe" Aubrey volunteered and went under heavy fire to rescue a
14 wounded comrade; and

15 WHEREAS, for his heroic rescue, Private Clarence "Joe" Aubrey was awarded the
16 Distinguished Service Cross and the Croix de Guerre with a gilt star; and

17 WHEREAS, Spencer County Magistrate Tim Brewer has requested that a bridge be
18 designated in honor and memory of Private Clarence "Joe" Aubrey; and

19 WHEREAS, Private Clarence "Joe" Aubrey served his country honorably during
20 World War I and it is fitting that his service be honored in some tangible way;

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 Taylorsville
24 Road in Spencer County, over Brashears Creek (Bridge Number 108B0029N), as the
25 "Private Clarence "Joe" Aubrey Memorial Bridge" and shall, within 30 days of the
26 effective date of this Resolution, erect appropriate signs denoting this designation.