

1 A JOINT RESOLUTION designating the James "Jim" Herring Memorial Bridge in
2 Boyle and Garrard Counties.

3 WHEREAS, James "Jim" Herring, son of Hiram N. Herring and Nora Edna Riley,
4 was born on July 16, 1905, in Parksville, Kentucky; and

5 WHEREAS, James Herring owned and operated both a 240-acre farm and a United
6 States bonded warehouse along the Dix River; and

7 WHEREAS, James Herring contributed significantly to the development of the
8 Boyle-Garrard County border in the early twentieth century, as he helped facilitate the
9 building of a new bridge over the Dix River through his farm property, ensuring easier
10 access between Lancaster and Danville; and

11 WHEREAS, James Herring also constructed a brick schoolhouse for the local
12 community, in which his granddaughter, Nannie Herring Yeager, taught; and

13 WHEREAS, James Herring married twice, first to Ella Sue Strevels until her death,
14 and then to Nancy Hanner Davis Murphy; and

15 WHEREAS, James Herring died on January 26, 1989, in Danville, Kentucky, at the
16 age of 83, and is now buried beside his first wife in the Parksville Cemetery; and

17 WHEREAS, this bridge designation will serve as a tangible reminder of James
18 Herring's life and contributions to his local community;

19 NOW, THEREFORE,

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

21 ➔Section 1. The Transportation Cabinet shall designate the bridge on Kentucky
22 Route 52 which crosses the Dix River at the Boyle-Garrard County line (Bridge Number
23 011B00048N) as the "James 'Jim' Herring Memorial Bridge," and shall, within 30 days
24 of the effective date of this Resolution, erect appropriate signs denoting this designation.