

1 A JOINT RESOLUTION designating the Officer Peter Grignon Memorial
2 Highway in Jefferson County.

3 WHEREAS, Peter Grignon, a native of New Jersey, graduated from Eastern
4 Kentucky University in 2000 with a degree in Police Administration; and

5 WHEREAS, according to his family, Peter Grignon had a lifelong ambition to be a
6 police officer, a dream that was realized when he joined the Louisville Metro Police
7 Department (LMPD); and

8 WHEREAS, on March 23, 2005, Officer Peter Grignon was on patrol when he was
9 called to the scene of a potential hit-and-run accident; and

10 WHEREAS, upon arriving at the scene, Officer Peter Grignon was shot by an
11 assailant who then committed suicide; and

12 WHEREAS, Officer Peter Grignon later died from his wounds, sending shock
13 waves through the community;

14 WHEREAS, the tragic loss of this young dedicated officer, who just days before
15 had celebrated his first wedding anniversary, was used as the starting point for the
16 establishment of the Louisville Metro Police Foundation; and

17 WHEREAS, since 2005, the Louisville Metro Police Foundation has provided
18 essential equipment, training, and support programs for members of the LMPD and their
19 families; and

20 WHEREAS, it is fitting and proper that the service and sacrifice of Officer Peter
21 Grignon be publicly remembered with a memorial highway designation;

22 NOW, THEREFORE,

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

24 ➔Section 1. The Transportation Cabinet shall designate United States Route 60A
25 in Jefferson County, from the intersection with Kentucky Route 61 (mile point 4.547) to
26 the intersection with Kentucky Route 864 (mile point 5.520) as the "Officer Peter
27 Grignon Memorial Highway" and shall, within 30 days of the effective date of this

- 1 Resolution, erect appropriate signs denoting this designation.