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DETAILED ANALYSIS

The bill designates the following highway and authorizes the Director of Transportation to erect suitable markers along the highway indicating its name:

Designated Name	"SSG Jack W. Coy Memorial Highway" ¹
Highway	The northbound and southbound lanes of I-280, between Navarre Avenue and Front Street, in Lucas County
Other Information	SSG Jack W. Coy served in the U.S. Army Air Forces during WWII. On February 24, 1944, he was the tail gunner for his aircraft when it came under attack over Germany and exploded in mid-air. Two crew members survived, but the rest, including SSG Coy were lost in the explosion. Post-war efforts to find his remains originally were unsuccessful. However, through new technology and circumstantial evidence, his remains finally were identified on September 20, 2023.

HISTORY

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¹ R.C. 5534.617.