

## RESOLUTION FOR L. TODD COOK

**WHEREAS**, L. Todd Cook was a Davidson County Deputy Sheriff who was killed in the line of duty on January 27, 2000; and

**WHEREAS**, it is the desire of the Davidson County community and the family of Deputy Cook to honor his sacrifice and service by naming a bridge in his honor; and

**WHEREAS**, this effort to name a bridge in honor of Deputy Cook has his family's full support; and

**WHEREAS**, it is the desire of the family and the community that the bridge named in his honor be in close proximity of the newly erected Sherriff's Office as a remembrance to Deputy Cook and reminder to all law enforcement to "always have your guard up and be ever vigilant"; and

**WHEREAS**, the Abbots Creek Bridge #123, on U.S. Hwy 64 is already constructed and located less than a mile from the Sherriff's Office; and

**WHEREAS**, the Abbots Creek Bridge #123, on U.S. Hwy 64 is a prominent artery through the county and is not formally named; and

**WHEREAS**, the Davidson County community strongly supports the naming of this bridge as the Deputy Todd Cook Bridge; and

**WHEREAS**, the Davidson County Board of Commissioners passed a resolution by unanimous decision as part of the application process as an illustration of public support; and

**WHEREAS**, the Davidson County Board of Commissioners respectfully requested that the North Carolina Board of Transportation name Abbots Creek Bridge #123, on U.S. Hwy 64 as the Deputy Todd Cook Bridge.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:**

That the North Carolina Board of Transportation names the Abbots Creek Bridge #123 on U.S. Hwy 64 as the *Deputy Todd Cook Bridge*.

That appropriate signs will be erected at a suitable time.

Adopted this the 2nd day of November 2017 by the North Carolina Board of Transportation.

  
Chairman

  
Secretary of Transportation