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Rep. Considine Bill Signed by Governor Evers

Madison – Today, Governor Tony Evers signed Assembly Bill 77 into law. This proposal designates over nine miles of Highway 33 as the Staff Sergeant (SSG) Daniel D. Busch Memorial Highway. Staff Sergeant Busch was a constituent of the 81st District who gave his life in service to his country. This legislation was authored by Representative Dave Considine (D-Baraboo) and Senator Jon Erpenbach (D-West Point).

“Staff Sergeant Daniel Busch was a hero to his team members while serving in Mogadishu, but he is also a hero to our community, state, and country,” said Rep. Considine, “Naming this portion of highway is just one way that we can commemorate his heroism. While SSG Busch left behind a wife and infant child, he also left a legacy of character, integrity, and service. Now, those driving on Highway 33 will be able to join us in celebrating Staff Sargent Busch for his service.”

“As we stand here at Portage High School today, it is important to remember Staff Sergeant’s legacy as a veteran, but also the quiet, humble, and honest person he was while he was a student here. A man of tremendous character, I am proud to honor SSG Busch today and every day going forward. I want to thank Staff Sergeant Busch’s family and friends, as well as Governor Evers, Senator Erpenbach, Senator Olsen, and Representative Plumer for all helping this idea come to fruition. It is important to remember that we can still achieve a lot when we are willing to work together.”

The bill was signed into law at Portage High School where there is a memorial in SSG Busch’s honor. Present while Governor Evers signed the bill was Staff Sergeant Busch’s family, authors of the proposal, and stakeholders.

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