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2023 Wisconsin Act 215
[2023 Senate Bill 223]

**Corporal Benjamin H. Neal
Memorial Highway**

2023 Wisconsin Act 215 requires the Department of Transportation to designate and mark the route of State Trunk Highway 11, commencing at the western border of the Village of Orfordville and proceeding easterly to the eastern border of the Village of Footville, as the “Corporal Benjamin H. Neal Memorial Highway” in recognition of the sacrifice of Corporal Benjamin H. Neal. Corporal Benjamin H. Neal was a member of the 1st Battalion, 508th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 4th Brigade Combat Team, 82nd Airborne Division of the U.S. Army, who, on April 25, 2012, died from injuries caused by an improvised explosive device during Operation Enduring Freedom in Zharay, Kandahar Province in Afghanistan.

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For a full history of the bill, visit the Legislature’s [bill history page](#).

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