



MISSOURI HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
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I support this bill. Hugh Dunn was a pillar of our community and through his life of service as a veteran, plus his over 40 years as a teacher and coach for Macon Country R-1 School District, mentored numerous young people. This honor would be a fitting tribute to a man who definitely left a positive impact on our community and on the lives of so many people. Thank you.



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I am in support of a true American Hero, although he did not see himself as one. Hugh C. Dunn lost his left hand during combat in Germany. That became the second of two injuries during the war. A shrapnel injury sidelined him shortly before he returned to duty, and he then lost his hand just above the wrist when a mortar landed in his foxhole. When the war started, he enrolled in service with the U S Army. Having lost his left eye in a childhood accident, he was stationed as a guard at Leavenworth, Kan. Tired of watching over the other troops, he asked to be transferred to the infantry. Hugh Dunn joined the 235th Infantry Regiment and deployed to Germany, which ultimately left to the life-changing injuries. He was awarded a Silver Star Medal and received a Purple Heart with Cluster for his time in the service. Hugh Dunn didn't let the injury deter him, returning to college in 1945 as a 25-year-old and playing quarterback in the Vikings' Wing-T offense. His senior year, he received the Williamson Trophy, presented to the most valuable small college player. Despite having only one hand and one eye, he led Missouri Valley to 41 wins in a row and two bowl victories. His play at the school led to a 1972 induction into the NAIA Football Hall of Fame. The Macon School named the football field after him. Hugh attended every football game he could. Struggling to Stand during each National Anthem, due to another accident which he lost his foot. He was a humble man, never bragged about all his accomplishments, just thankful he was able to be a part of so much. He was very respected and loved by his family, community and football and all sports teams. That is why I support the naming of the section requested that runs by the elementary and high schools in Macon, Mo.



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I am Opposed to this Bill. This Designation of a "Memorial Highway" in Macon is not fair to ALL of the other Military Officials in our Armed Forces that Dedicated their life to protect our Nation and lost their live in active Combat Duty to Our Nation.