

112TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

S. 3238

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 9, 2012

Referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs

AN ACT

To designate the Department of Veterans Affairs community based outpatient clinic in Mansfield, Ohio, as the David F. Winder Department of Veterans Affairs Community Based Outpatient Clinic, and for other purposes.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. FINDINGS.**

2 Congress makes the following findings:

3 (1) David F. Winder, was born on August 10,
4 1946, in Edinboro, Pennsylvania.

5 (2) David F. Winder served as a Private First
6 Class in the United States Army, enlisting in Colum-
7 bus, Ohio, in 1968. His service in the Army ended
8 in May 1970.

9 (3) David F. Winder was awarded the Medal of
10 Honor, the highest honor in the United States
11 awarded for valor to members of the Armed Forces,
12 for his actions during the ambush of his company,
13 on May 13, 1970, in the Republic of Vietnam for
14 conspicuous gallantry and intrepidity at the risk of
15 his life above and beyond the call of duty as a senior
16 medical aidman with Company A, 3rd Battalion, 1st
17 Infantry Regiment, 11th Infantry Brigade, Americal
18 Division.

19 (4) Unarmed, PFC Winder proceeded to crawl
20 over 100 meters of open, bullet swept terrain to
21 treat the 2 different wounded soldiers while suf-
22 fering 2 serious wounds himself in the process. He
23 was mortally wounded for the third and final time
24 when closing to within 30 feet of a third soldier.

25 (5) PFC Winder was laid to rest in Mansfield
26 Memorial Park.

1 **SEC. 2. DAVID F. WINDER DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AF-**
2 **FAIRS COMMUNITY BASED OUTPATIENT**
3 **CLINIC.**

4 (a) DESIGNATION.—The Department of Veterans Af-
5 fairs community based outpatient clinic located in Mans-
6 field, Ohio, shall after the date of the enactment of this
7 Act be known and designated as the “David F. Winder
8 Department of Veterans Affairs Community Based Out-
9 patient Clinic”.

10 (b) REFERENCES.—Any reference in a law, map, reg-
11 ulation, document, paper, or other record of the United
12 States to the Department of Veterans Affairs community
13 based outpatient clinic referred to in subsection (a) shall
14 be deemed to be a reference to the David F. Winder De-
15 partment of Veterans Affairs Community Based Out-
16 patient Clinic.

Passed the Senate June 29, 2012.

Attest: NANCY ERICKSON,
Secretary.