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RESOLUTION NO. R-2012-19

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA, DECLARING NO OBJECTION AND SUPPORTING THE HONORARY CO-DESIGNATIONS BY THE FLORIDA LEGISLATURE DESIGNATING FLORIDA TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES (“ROADWAYS”) LOCATED WITHIN THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI, PURSUANT TO HOUSE BILL 385 AND HOUSE BILL 9; AND FURTHER REQUESTING THAT THE CURRENT LANGUAGE ON THE STREET SIGNAGE, “NORTH MIAMI BLVD” BE REMOVED TO PRESERVE THE AESTHETIC NATURE OF THE NEW SIGN DESIGNATION; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE AND ALL OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, Florida Statute 334.071 entitled “Legislative Designation of Transportation Facilities” states that erection of markers shall be contingent upon the appropriate city or county commissioner, passing a resolution in support of the particular honorary designation; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the request made by the Florida Legislature for honorary designation of roads located within the City of North Miami (“City”), the Mayor and City Council have no objection to the honorary designations and support House Bill 9 and House Bill 385; and

WHEREAS, House Bill 9, adopted by the Florida Legislature and approved by the Governor on May 13, 2004, and codified under Chapter 2004-392 of the Laws of Florida, designated state transportation facilities (“roadways”) that are located within the City as follows:

- (1) That portion of State Road 909 on West Dixie Highway, from the north boundary of State House District 108 to N.E. 2nd Avenue is designated as “Alexandre Petion Boulevard”;
- (2) That portion of State Road 922 on N.W. 125th Street from N.W. 7th Avenue to Griffing Boulevard is designated as “Jean-Jacques Dessalines Boulevard”; and

WHEREAS, House Bill 385, adopted by the Florida Legislature and approved by the Governor on June 13, 2005, and codified under Chapter 2005-292 of the Laws of Florida, designated state transportation facilities (“roadways”) that are located within the City as follows:

- (1) That portion of State Road 916 on N.W. 135th Street between N.W. 7th Avenue and N.E. 6th Avenue is designated as “Roi Henri Christophe Boulevard.”

(2) That portion of State Road 916 on N.E. 135th Street between N.E. 6th Avenue and U.S. Highway 1 (Biscayne Boulevard) is designated as "Capois-La-Mort Boulevard"; and

WHEREAS, the underlying legislation directs the Florida Department of Transportation to erect suitable markers for these street designations; and

WHEREAS, in the case of the designation of "Jean-Jacques Dessalines Boulevard," the Mayor and City Council request that the current language on the street signage: "North Miami Blvd." be removed to preserve the aesthetic nature of the new sign designation; and

WHEREAS, the City Manager respectfully requests that the Mayor and City Council declare no objection, and support the aforementioned honorary co-designations by the State of Florida Legislature.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT DULY RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA:

Section 1. Approval of Street Co-Designation. The Mayor and City Council of the City of North Miami, Florida, hereby declare no objection and support the honorary co-designations by the Florida Legislature designating Florida Transportation Facilities ("Roadways") located within the City of North Miami, Pursuant to House Bill 385 and House Bill 9; and further requesting that the current language on the street signage, "North Miami Blvd" be removed to preserve the aesthetic nature of the new sign designation.

Section 2. Directions to City Clerk. The City Clerk shall forward a copy of this Resolution to the Florida Department of Transportation ("FDOT") and to the appropriate officials of Miami-Dade County.

Section 3. Effective Date. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by a 5-0 vote of the Mayor and City Council of the City of North Miami, Florida, this 14 day of February, 2012.



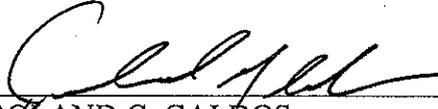
ANDRE D. PIERRE, ESQ.
MAYOR

ATTEST:



MICHAEL A. ETIENNE, ESQ.
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND
LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:



ROLAND C. GALDOS
INTERIM CITY ATTORNEY

SPONSORED BY: CITY ADMINISTRATION

Moved by: Vice Mayor Marcellus

Seconded by: Mayor Pierre

Vote:

Mayor Andre D. Pierre, Esq.	<u>X</u>	(Yes)	<u> </u>	(No)
Vice Mayor Jean R. Marcellus	<u>X</u>	(Yes)	<u> </u>	(No)
Councilperson Michael R. Blynn, Esq.	<u>X</u>	(Yes)	<u> </u>	(No)
Councilperson Scott Galvin	<u>X</u>	(Yes)	<u> </u>	(No)
Councilperson Marie Erlande Steril	<u>X</u>	(Yes)	<u> </u>	(No)