

MEMORANDUM

Agenda Item No. 5(A)

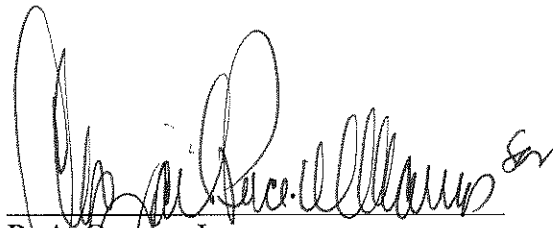
TO: Honorable Chairwoman Rebeca Sosa
and Members, Board of County Commissioners

DATE: September 4, 2013

FROM: R. A. Cuevas, Jr.
County Attorney

SUBJECT: Resolution codesignating NW
17th Avenue from NW 84th
Street to NW 88th Street as
"Lawrence 'Pop' Mckenzie Way"

The accompanying resolution was prepared and placed on the agenda at the request of Prime Sponsor Commissioner Jean Monestime.



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Please note any items checked.

- "3-Day Rule" for committees applicable if raised
- 6 weeks required between first reading and public hearing
- 4 weeks notification to municipal officials required prior to public hearing
- Decreases revenues or increases expenditures without balancing budget
- Budget required
- Statement of fiscal impact required
- Ordinance creating a new board requires detailed County Mayor's report for public hearing
- No committee review
- Applicable legislation requires more than a majority vote (i.e., 2/3's ____, 3/5's ____, unanimous ____) to approve
- Current information regarding funding source, index code and available balance, and available capacity (if debt is contemplated) required

Approved _____ Mayor
Veto _____
Override _____

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9-4-13

RESOLUTION NO. _____

RESOLUTION CODESIGNATING NW 17TH AVENUE FROM
NW 84TH STREET TO NW 88TH STREET AS "LAWRENCE
'POP' MCKENZIE WAY"

WHEREAS, Lawrence "Pop" McKenzie was born on April 6, 1931, the oldest of 7 children born to Luke and Olive McKenzie; and

WHEREAS, McKenzie graduated from Booker T. Washington Senior High in the class of 1950, and joined the United States Air Force and served his country for five years; and

WHEREAS, McKenzie would later meet and marry Retha Jones and through this union four children were born; and

WHEREAS, in 1975, McKenzie graduated from Florida International University with a bachelor's degree in education and would go on to teach for 25 years; and

WHEREAS, during this time, McKenzie also was employed with the Miami-Dade County Park and Recreation Department; and

WHEREAS, McKenzie was assigned to numerous parks, but spent a great deal of his time at his neighborhood park, Arcola Park, where he was a frequent and important presence; and

WHEREAS, Lawrence "Pop" McKenzie passed away on August 23, 2008; and

WHEREAS, this Board would like to honor to memory of Lawrence "Pop" McKenzie and his contributions to the community by codesignating a portion of NW 17th Avenue near Arcola Park as "Lawrence "Pop" McKenzie Way"; and

WHEREAS, NW 17th Avenue from NW 84th Street to NW 88th Street is a County road located in unincorporated Miami-Dade County; and

WHEREAS, this proposed codesignation is located in County Commission District 2,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, that this Board:

Section 1. Having considered this matter at a public hearing, codesignates NW 17th Avenue from NW 84th Street to NW 88th Street as "Lawrence "Pop" McKenzie Way".

Section 2. Directs the Clerk of the Board to transmit a certified copy of this resolution to the United States Postal Service, the Traffic Signals and Signs Division of the Public Works and Waste Management Department, the Development Services Division of the Regulatory and Economic Resources Department, the Miami-Dade Police Department, and the Miami-Dade Fire Rescue Department.

The Prime Sponsor of the foregoing resolution is Commissioner Jean Monestime. It was offered by Commissioner _____, who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner _____ and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Rebeca Sosa, Chairwoman
Lynda Bell, Vice Chair

Bruno A. Barreiro
Jose "Pepe" Diaz
Sally A. Heyman
Jean Monestime
Sen. Javier D. Souto
Juan C. Zapata

Esteban L. Bovo, Jr.
Audrey M. Edmonson
Barbara J. Jordan
Dennis C. Moss
Xavier L. Suarez

The Chairperson thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and adopted this 4th day of September, 2013. This resolution shall become effective ten (10) days after the date of its adoption unless vetoed by the Mayor, and if vetoed, shall become effective only upon an override by this Board.

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA
BY ITS BOARD OF
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

HARVEY RUVIN, CLERK

By: _____
Deputy Clerk

Approved by County Attorney as
to form and legal sufficiency.



Jess M. McCarty