

# MEMORANDUM

Agenda Item No. 5(B)

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

**DATE:** November 19, 2013

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

**SUBJECT:** Resolution codesignating NW 32  
Avenue from NW 87 Street to  
NW 95 Street as "Dr. Katrine  
Forbes Avenue" by a three-fifths  
vote of Board members present

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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

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Veto \_\_\_\_\_

11-19-13

Override \_\_\_\_\_

RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_

RESOLUTION CODESIGNATING NW 32 AVENUE FROM  
NW 87 STREET TO NW 95 STREET AS "DR. KATRINE  
FORBES AVENUE" BY A THREE-FIFTHS VOTE OF BOARD  
MEMBERS PRESENT

**WHEREAS**, Dr. Katrine Forbes has exhibited a lifelong devotion to her community and those that are less fortunate; and

**WHEREAS**, Dr. Forbes graduated from the Hagin Bible School and has doctorates in Divinity and Religious Theology from the United Christian College and Tabernacle Bible College; and

**WHEREAS**, in 1973, Dr. Forbes created the of Now Faith Ministries; and

**WHEREAS**, Dr. Forbes has been pastor at the Now Faith Ministries for more than 40 years; and

**WHEREAS**, Dr. Forbes has started churches in Miami, Florida; Houston, Texas; Beach Island, South Carolina and Las Vegas, Nevada, as well as local prison ministries in South Florida; and

**WHEREAS**, her ministries are a refuge and a safe haven to hundreds of people once addicted to drugs, those living life on the streets and those trapped by the violence of abusive relationships; and

**WHEREAS**, Dr. Forbes has a highly rated television show, has been featured in Saved Magazine and is the author of a best-seller Lifestyles of the Rich and Righteous; and

**WHEREAS**, Dr. Forbes also has been recognized by the City of Miami with a key to city; and

**WHEREAS**, Dr. Katrine Forbes will celebrate her 75<sup>th</sup> birthday in December, 2013; and

**WHEREAS**, this Board would like to recognize Dr. Katrine Forbes' lasting contribution to our community with this codesignation; and

**WHEREAS**, NW 32<sup>nd</sup> Avenue from NW 87<sup>th</sup> Street to NW 95<sup>th</sup> Street is a County road located in unincorporated Miami-Dade County; and

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

**WHEREAS**, Rule 9.02(d) of the Board's Rules of Procedure provides that the Commission may by a three-fifths vote of Board members present name a County facility or property after a living individual who has not served as an elected official within the past five years and who "has made a direct, significant lifetime contribution to this community",

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

**Section 1.** The foregoing recitals are hereby incorporated into this resolution and the Board finds that Dr. Katrine Forbes has made direct, significant lifetime contributions to this community pursuant to Rule 9.02(d).

**Section 2.** Having considered this matter at a public hearing and by a three-fifths vote of Board members present, the Board codesignates NW 32 Avenue from NW 87 Street to NW 95 Street as "Dr. Katrine Forbes Avenue".

**Section 3.** The Board 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 19<sup>th</sup> day of November, 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