

**MEMORANDUM**

Agenda Item No. 5(A)

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**TO:** Honorable Chairman Bruno A. Barreiro  
and Members, Board of County Commissioners

**DATE:** October 21, 2008

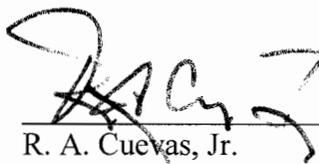
**FROM:** R. A. Cuevas, Jr.  
County Attorney

**SUBJECT:** Resolution joining City of  
Miami in codesignating  
portion of S. Miami Avenue  
as the "Most Reverend  
Agustin A. Roman Way"

**Resolution No. R-1107-08**

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The accompanying resolution was prepared and placed on the agenda at the request of Prime Sponsor Commissioner Carlos A. Gimenez.



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Please note any items checked.

- "4-Day Rule" ("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
- Bid waiver requiring County Manager's written recommendation
- Ordinance creating a new board requires detailed County Manager's report for public hearing
- Housekeeping item (no policy decision required)
- No committee review

Approved \_\_\_\_\_ Mayor  
Veto \_\_\_\_\_  
Override \_\_\_\_\_

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10-21-08

RESOLUTION NO. R-1107-08

RESOLUTION JOINING THE MIAMI CITY COMMISSION IN  
CODESIGNATING S. MIAMI AVENUE FROM ALATKA  
STREET TO U.S. 1 AS THE "MOST REVEREND AGUSTÍN A.  
ROMÁN WAY"

**WHEREAS**, Bishop Agustín A. Román came to South Florida after being expelled from  
Cuba, along with 132 other Cuban priests, by the communist regime; and

**WHEREAS**, Bishop Román raised funds for the construction of the *Shrine of Our Lady  
of Charity* on Biscayne Bay, where he still works as director as the beacon for exiles from many  
nations; and

**WHEREAS**, on September 25, 2008, the City Commission for the City of Miami  
adopted Resolution No. 08-0541, a copy of which is attached and incorporated by reference,  
which urged Miami-Dade County to codesignate S. Miami Avenue from Alarka Street to U.S. 1,  
Miami, Florida, as the "Most Reverend Agustín A. Román Way"; and

**WHEREAS**, this road codesignation is located in County Commission District 7,

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

**Section 1.** Finds that Bishop Agustín A. Román has made a direct significant lifetime  
contribution to this community.

**Section 2.** By a three-fifths vote of the Board members present, joins the Miami City  
Commission in codesignating S. Miami Avenue from Alarka Street to U.S. 1 as the "Most  
Reverend Agustín A. Román Way."

**Section 3.** Directs the Clerk of the Board to transmit a certified copy of this  
resolution to the Miami City Commission, the United States Postal Service, the Traffic Signals

and Signs Division of the Public Works Department and Land Development Division of the Public Works Department, the Miami-Dade Police Department, and the Miami-Dade Fire Rescue Department.

The Prime Sponsor of the foregoing resolution is Commissioner Carlos A. Gimenez. It was offered by Commissioner **Carlos A. Gimenez**, who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner **Rebeca Sosa** and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

	Bruno A. Barreiro, Chairman	<b>aye</b>
	Barbara J. Jordan, Vice-Chairwoman	<b>aye</b>
Jose "Pepe" Diaz	<b>aye</b>	Audrey M. Edmonson <b>aye</b>
Carlos A. Gimenez	<b>aye</b>	Sally A. Heyman <b>aye</b>
Joe A. Martinez	<b>absent</b>	Dennis C. Moss <b>aye</b>
Dorrin D. Rolle	<b>aye</b>	Natacha Seijas <b>absent</b>
Katy Sorenson	<b>absent</b>	Rebeca Sosa <b>aye</b>
Sen. Javier D. Souto	<b>absent</b>	

The Chairman thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and adopted this 21<sup>st</sup> day of October, 2008. 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: **Kay Sullivan**  
Deputy Clerk



Approved by County Attorney as  
to form and legal sufficiency.

Jess M. McCarty



# City of Miami

## Legislation

Resolution: R-08-0541

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File Number: 08-01095

Final Action Date: 9/25/2008

A RESOLUTION OF THE MIAMI CITY COMMISSION, WITH ATTACHMENT(S), URGING MIAMI-DADE COUNTY TO CODESIGNATE SOUTH MIAMI AVENUE FROM ALATKA STREET NORTH TO U.S. 1, MIAMI, FLORIDA, AS THE "MOST REVEREND AGUSTÍN A. ROMÁN WAY;" FURTHER DIRECTING THE CITY MANAGER TO INSTRUCT THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS TO WORK WITH MIAMI-DADE COUNTY AND ANY OTHER AGENCIES TO ENSURE THAT ALL CO-DESIGNATION PROCEDURES ARE COMPLETED BEFORE THE END OF CALENDAR YEAR 2008, IN ANTICIPATION OF A CEREMONY DEDICATING "THE MOST REVEREND AGUSTÍN A. ROMÁN WAY " TO MARK THE RETIRED AUXILIARY BISHOP OF MIAMI'S 50TH YEAR IN THE PRIESTHOOD; FURTHER DIRECTING THE TRANSMITTAL OF A COPY OF THIS RESOLUTION TO THE HEREIN DESIGNATED OFFICES.

WHEREAS, this Resolution directs the City Manager to instruct the Public Works Department to work with Miami-Dade County and any other agencies to ensure that all co-designation procedures are completed before the end of calendar year 2008, in anticipation of a ceremony dedicating "The Most Reverend Agustín A. Román Way," to mark the retired auxiliary bishop of Miami's 50th year in the priesthood; and

WHEREAS, Bishop Román came to South Florida after being expelled, along with 132 other Cuban priests, from Cuba by the communist regime; and

WHEREAS, Bishop Román raised funds for the construction of the *Shrine of Our Lady of Charity* on Biscayne Bay, where he still works as director as the beacon for exiles from many nations; and

WHEREAS, Bishop Román's resume is attached, in keeping with the City Commission's recent vote to allow street co-designations for living people of extremely high character and civic contribution;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI, FLORIDA:

Section 1. The recitals and findings contained in the Preamble to this Resolution are adopted by reference and incorporated as if fully set forth in this Section.

Section 2. The Miami City Commission urges Miami-Dade County to codesignate South Miami Avenue from Alatka Street North to U.S. 1, Miami, Florida, as "The Most Reverend Agustín A. Román Way."

Section 3. The City Manager is directed to instruct the Public Works Department to work with Miami-Dade County and any other agencies to ensure that all co-designation procedures are completed before the end of calendar year 2008, in anticipation of a ceremony dedicating "The Most Reverend Agustín Román Way," to mark the retired auxiliary bishop of Miami's 50th year in the

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priesthood and to transmit a copy of this Resolution to the City's Departments of Police, Fire-Rescue, Solid Waste, and also to the Miami-Dade County Public Works Department and the United States Postal Service.

Section 4. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption and signature of the Mayor.{1}

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND CORRECTNESS:

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JULIE O. BRU  
CITY ATTORNEY

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Footnotes:

{1} If the Mayor does not sign this Resolution, it shall become effective at the end of ten calendar days from the date it was passed and adopted. If the Mayor vetoes this Resolution, it shall become effective immediately upon override of the veto by the City Commission.

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