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OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA

MEMORANDUM

Agenda Item No. 11(A)(32)

TO: Honorable Chairman Dennis C. Moss and Members, Board of County Commissioners

DATE: June 30, 2009

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

SUBJECT: Resolution urging the City of Miami to co-designate SW 32nd Avenue from Grand Avenue to Day Avenue as "Yvonne M. McDonald Road"

Resolution No. R-881-09

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

R. A. Cuevas, Jr.
County Attorney

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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 Mayor'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**

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Approved _____ Mayor
Veto _____
Override _____

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RESOLUTION NO. **R-881-09**

RESOLUTION URGING THE CITY OF MIAMI TO CO-DESIGNATE SW 32ND AVENUE FROM GRAND AVENUE TO DAY AVENUE AS "YVONNE M. MCDONALD ROAD" AND APPROVING SUCH DESIGNATION

WHEREAS, Yvonne M. McDonald grew up in Coconut Grove, where she later worked and played an integral part in making life better for the community; and

WHEREAS, McDonald dedicated her life to help others in spite of being legally blind from an early age; and

WHEREAS, McDonald was a dedicated public servant and an eloquent speaker, who always complimented those who deserved praise and encouraged those who needed guidance and help; and

WHEREAS, as a community activist, she provided counseling to families in need of housing, food, clothing and medical care, finding ways to immediately assist those in distress; and

WHEREAS, Yvonne M. McDonald passed away on Oct 14, 2008; and

WHEREAS, SW 32ND Avenue from Grand Avenue to Day Avenue is located in County Commission District 7 and is a city road located within the City of Miami,

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

Section 1. Urges the City of Miami to codesignate S.W. 32ND Avenue from Grand Avenue to Day Avenue as "Yvonne M. McDonald Road."

Section 2. Approves the codesignation of S.W. 32ND Avenue from Grand Avenue to Day Avenue as "Yvonne M. McDonald Road."

Section 3. Directs the Clerk of the Board to send certified copies of this Resolution to the Chair and Members of the Miami City Commission, the City Manager of the City of Miami, and the Traffic Signals and Signs Division of the Public Works Department.

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

Dennis C. Moss, Chairman **aye**
Jose "Pepe" Diaz, Vice-Chairman **aye**

Bruno A. Barreiro	**absent**	Audrey M. Edmonson	**aye**
Carlos A. Gimenez	**aye**	Sally A. Heyman	**aye**
Barbara J. Jordan	**aye**	Joe A. Martinez	**absent**
Dorrin D. Rolle	**aye**	Natacha Seijas	**aye**
Katy Sorenson	**aye**	Rebeca Sosa	**aye**
Sen. Javier D. Souto	**absent**		

The Chairperson thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and adopted this 30th day of June, 2009. 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: **DIANE COLLINS**
Deputy Clerk

Approved by County Attorney as
to form and legal sufficiency. JMM

Jess M. McCarty