

MEMORANDUM

Agenda Item No. 11(A)(23)

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**TO:** Honorable Chairman Joe A. Martinez  
and Members, Board of County Commissioners

**DATE:** January 24, 2012

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

**SUBJECT:** Resolution approving the City  
of Hialeah codesignation of  
West 13 Lane from West 44  
Place to West 47 Place and  
West 47 Place from West 13  
Lane to West 12 Avenue as  
"Gus Machado Way"

Resolution No. R-77-12

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The accompanying resolution was prepared and placed on the agenda at the request of Prime Sponsor Commissioner Esteban L. Bovo, Jr.

  
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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 Manager'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 \_\_\_\_\_

1-24-2012

Override \_\_\_\_\_

RESOLUTION NO. R-77-12

RESOLUTION APPROVING THE CITY OF HIALEAH  
CODESIGNATION OF WEST 13 LANE FROM WEST  
44 PLACE TO WEST 47 PLACE AND WEST 47 PLACE FROM  
WEST 13 LANE TO WEST 12 AVENUE AS "GUS MACHADO  
WAY"

**WHEREAS**, on December 19, 2011, the Mayor and City Council of the City of Hialeah passed Resolution No. 11-133, which codesignated West 13 Lane from West 44 Place to West 47 Place and West 47 Place from West 13 Lane to West 12 Avenue as "Gus Machado Way," in recognition of Gus Machado's contributions to the City of Hialeah, a copy of which is attached and incorporated by reference; and

**WHEREAS**, Gus Machado has been a business owner, philanthropist and community leader in the City of Hialeah since 1982; and

**WHEREAS**, in 2003, Machado was a founder of the U.S.-Cuba Democracy PAC, a political group that promotes an unconditional transition in Cuba to democracy, the recognition of the fundamental human and civil rights and free markets; and

**WHEREAS**, in 2008, Machado created the "Gus Machado Family Foundation", a not-for-profit organization dedicated to philanthropy, voluntarism and making grants to worthy causes; and

**WHEREAS**, West 13 Lane from West 44 Place to West 47 Place and West 47 Place from West 13 Lane to West 12 Avenue are city streets located in the City of Hialeah; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Hialeah wants the County to install signage indicating this co-designation on County street signs and traffic signal masts arms; and

WHEREAS, this codesignation is located in County Commission District 13,

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

**Section 1.** Approves the City of Hialeah's codesignation of West 13 Lane from West 44 Place to West 47 Place and West 47 Place from West 13 Lane to West 12 Avenue as "Gus Machado Way."

**Section 2.** Directs the Clerk of the Board to send certified copies of this Resolution to the Mayor of the City of Hialeah, the United States Postal Service, the Traffic Signals and Signs Division of the Public Works and Waste Management Department, the Land Development/ Right-of-Way Division of the Public Works Department, the City of Hialeah Police Department and the City of Hialeah Fire Rescue Department.

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

	Joe A. Martinez, Chairman	<b>aye</b>
	Audrey M. Edmonson, Vice Chairwoman	<b>absent</b>
Bruno A. Barreiro	<b>aye</b>	Lynda Bell <b>aye</b>
Esteban L. Bovo, Jr.	<b>aye</b>	Jose "Pepe" Diaz <b>aye</b>
Sally A. Heyman	<b>aye</b>	Barbara J. Jordan <b>aye</b>
Jean Monestime	<b>aye</b>	Dennis C. Moss <b>aye</b>
Rebeca Sosa	<b>aye</b>	Sen. Javier D. Souto <b>aye</b>
Xavier L. Suarez	<b>aye</b>	

The Chairperson thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and adopted this 24<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2012. 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: **Christopher Agrippa**  
Deputy Clerk

Approved by County Attorney as  
to form and legal sufficiency.

**JMM**

Jess M. McCarty

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RESOLUTION NO. 11-133

RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA, DECLARING NO OBJECTION AND SUPPORTING THE CODESIGNATION BY THE CITY OF HIALEAH HISTORIC PRESERVATION BOARD, DESIGNATING WEST 13 LANE, FROM WEST 44 PLACE TO WEST 47 PLACE, ALONG WEST 47 PLACE, FROM WEST 13 LANE TO WEST 12 AVENUE HIALEAH, FLORIDA, AS "GUS MACHADO WAY;" IN HONOR OF THE OUTSTANDING SERVICE OF GUS MACHADO TO THE CITY OF HIALEAH AND ITS RESIDENTS, WITH THE COST OF SIGNAGE TO BE PAID BY THE APPLICANT

**WHEREAS**, the co-designation of that portion of West 13 Lane, from West 44 Place to West 47 Place, along West 47 Place, from West 13 Lane to West 12 Avenue, as "GUS MACHADO WAY", presently unnamed, is in honor of the outstanding service of Mr. Gus Machado to the City of Hialeah and its residents; and

**WHEREAS**, Gus Machado has been a business owner, philanthropist and community leader of the City of Hialeah since 1982; and

**WHEREAS**, Gus Machado has served his community as an outstanding entrepreneur, community partner, citizen, father, husband, and grandfather; and

**WHEREAS**, Gus Machado was born in Cuba, where his love for his native country and entrepreneurial spirit flourished into what later became a distinguished career in the automobile trade in his new homeland; where he has held the most prestigious titles and received the highest accolades as a Ford Automobile dealer, such as the Blue Oval Certification status and the President's Award from Ford Motor Company; all these factors have allowed him to fulfill the passion he felt for dedicated service to his community; and

**WHEREAS**, in 2003 Mr. Machado was a founder of the U.S.-Cuba Democracy PAC, a group created to and

**WHEREAS**, Gus Machado's love for his native country and dedication to those in need along with his lovely wife, Lilliam Machado, has been evident in his leadership with dozens of charities and organizations; Throughout the years, Gus Machado has dedicated his time, efforts, and financial support to his businesses and community. Due to his multiple charitable contributions, in 2008 he created the Gus Machado Family

**WHEREAS**, the Historic Preservation Board recommended approval of this resolution on December 23, 2011.

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA, THAT:**

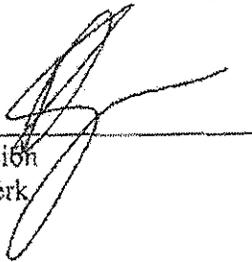
**Section 1:** The portion of West 13 Lane, from West 44 Place to West 47 Place, along West 47 Place, from West 13 Lane to West 12 Avenue, Hialeah, Florida, presently unnamed, is hereby co-designated as "GUS MACHADO WAY", and shall be known as such from this day forward, with the costs of signage to be paid by the applicant.

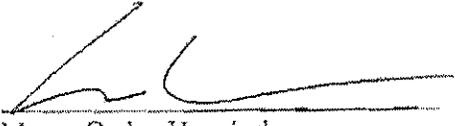
PASSED AND ADOPTED this 13th day of December, 2011.

  
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Isis Garcia-Martinez  
Council Vice President

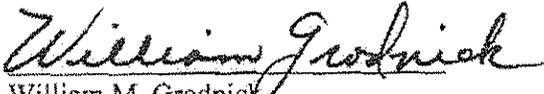
Attest:

Approved on this 19 day of Dec, 2011.

  
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David Concepcion  
Acting City Clerk

  
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Mayor Carlos Hernandez

Approved as to legal sufficiency and form:

  
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William M. Grodnick  
City Attorney

Resolution was adopted by a unanimous vote with Councilmembers, Caragol, Casals-Muñoz, Cue-Fuenté, Garcia-Martinez, Gonzalez, Hernandez and Lozano voting "Yes".

