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OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA

MEMORANDUM

Agenda Item No. 3(A)(1)

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

DATE: October 7, 2014

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

SUBJECT: Resolution approving the City of Hialeah codesignation of that portion of East 39th Place between East 8th Avenue and East 10th Avenue as "Florencio Pernas Way"

Resolution No. R-835-14

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 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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10-7-14

RESOLUTION NO. R-835-14

RESOLUTION APPROVING THE CITY OF HIALEAH CODESIGNATION OF THAT PORTION OF EAST 39TH PLACE BETWEEN EAST 8TH AVENUE AND EAST 10TH AVENUE AS "FLORENCIO PERNAS WAY"

WHEREAS, on September 13, 2011, the Mayor and City Council of the City of Hialeah adopted Resolution No. 11-93, which codesignated that portion of East 39th Place between East 8th Avenue and East 10th Avenue as "Florencio Pernas Way", in honor of the contributions and service of Florencio Pernas to the City of Hialeah, a copy of which is attached and incorporated by reference; and

WHEREAS, Florencio Pernas was born in Cuba and immigrated to the United States in 1960; and

WHEREAS, Florencio Pernas was a pioneer for democracy, fighting as a counterrevolutionary against the dictatorship of Fidel Castro; and

WHEREAS, as a founding member of Alpha 66, Florencio Pernas participated in multiple missions to Cuba in an attempt to extricate Fidel Castro; and

WHEREAS, Florencio Pernas was also a savvy entrepreneur who ran several successful businesses in Hialeah which are currently owned and operated by his children; and

WHEREAS, Florencio Pernas was married for over 40 years to Maria Consuelo Pernas; and

WHEREAS, Florencio Pernas lived in Hialeah on East 39th Place for most of his life, and his family still resides in the same home today; and

WHEREAS, despite his busy schedule, Florencio Pernas was actively involved in the athletics program at Bright Park, especially the baseball program; and

WHEREAS, Florencio Pernas passed away in 2004, but his commitment and dedication to Hialeah's youth will always be remembered; and

WHEREAS, the Hialeah Historic Preservation Board had recommended approval of Resolution No. 11-93 on September 12, 2011; and

WHEREAS, that portion of East 39th Place between East 8th Avenue and East 10th Avenue is a city street located in the City of Hialeah; and

WHEREAS, the City of Hialeah wants the County to install signage indicating this codesignation 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 codesignation of that portion of East 39th Place between East 8th Avenue and East 10th Avenue as "Florencio Pernas 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 Development Services Division of the Regulatory and Economic Resources Department, the Hialeah Police Department and the Hialeah Fire Department.

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

Rebeca Sosa, Chairwoman			**aye**
Lynda Bell, Vice Chair			**aye**
Bruno A. Barreiro	**aye**	Esteban L. Bovo, Jr.	**aye**
Jose "Pepe" Diaz	**absent**	Audrey M. Edmonson	**aye**
Sally A. Heyman	**aye**	Barbara J. Jordan	**aye**
Jean Monestime	**aye**	Dennis C. Moss	**aye**
Sen. Javier D. Souto	**aye**	Xavier L. Suarez	**aye**
Juan C. Zapata	**absent**		

The Chairperson thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and adopted this 7th day of October, 2014. 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. MTM

Michael J. Mastrucci

A certified true copy of the Original Document on file with the City of Hialeah WITNESS my hand and Official Seal on JUN 19 2014

CITY CLERK
CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA

RESOLUTION NO. 11-93

RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA APPROVING THE CO-DESIGNATION OF A PORTION OF EAST 39 PLACE, BETWEEN EAST 8 AVENUE AND EAST 10 AVENUE, HIALEAH, FLORIDA, AS "FLORENCIO PERNAS WAY", IN HONOR AND RECOGNITION OF HIS OUTSTANDING SERVICE AND CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE CITY OF HIALEAH AND ITS RESIDENTS, WITH THE COST OF SIGNAGE TO BE PAID BY THE PERNAS FAMILY.

WHEREAS, the co-designation of that portion of East 39 Place, between East 8 Avenue and East 10 Avenue, Hialeah, Florida, as "FLORENCIO PERNAS WAY", presently unnamed, is in honor and recognition of the outstanding service and contributions of Florencio Pernas to the City of Hialeah and its residents; and

WHEREAS, Florencio Pernas was born in Cuba and immigrated to the United States in 1960; and

WHEREAS, Florencio Pernas was a pioneer for democracy, fighting as a counterrevolutionary against the dictatorship of Fidel Castro; and

WHEREAS, Florencio Pernas was a founding member of Alpha 66 and, as a member of this organization, participated in multiple missions to Cuba in an attempt to extricate Fidel Castro; and

WHEREAS, Florencio Pernas was a savvy entrepreneur who ran several successful businesses in Hialeah, which businesses are currently owned and operated by his children; and

WHEREAS, Florencio Pernas was married for over forty years to Maria Consuelo Pernas; and

WHEREAS, Florencio Pernas lived on East 39th Place for most of his life, and his family still resides in the same house; and

WHEREAS, despite his busy schedule, Florencio Pernas was involved with the athletics program at Bright Park, especially the baseball program; and

WHEREAS, Florencio Pernas died in 2004, but his commitment and dedication to the youth of Hialeah will always be remembered; and

WHEREAS, the Historic Preservation Board recommended approval of this resolution on September 12, 2011.

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

Section 1: The portion East 39 Place, between East 8 Avenue and East 10 Avenue, Hialeah, Florida, presently unnamed, is hereby co-designated as "FLORENCIO PERNAS WAY", and shall be known as such from this day forward, with the costs of signage to be paid by the Pernas family.

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

Isis Garcia-Martinez
Council President

Attest:

Approved on this 14 day of SEPT, 2011.

David Concepcion
Acting City Clerk

Mayor Carlos Hernandez

Approved as to legal sufficiency and form:

William Grodnick K. C.
William M. Grodnick
City Attorney

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