

MEMORANDUM

Agenda Item No. 3(A)(3)

TO: Honorable Chairman Jean Monestime
and Members, Board of County Commissioners

DATE: February 18, 2015

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

SUBJECT: Resolution approving the
City of Homestead
codesignation of SE 4th
Street from U.S. 1 (South
Dixie Highway) to Krome
Avenue as "American Legion
Way"
Resolution No. R-165-15

The accompanying resolution was prepared and placed on the agenda at the request of Co-Prime Sponsors Commissioner Daniella Levine Cava and Commissioner Dennis C. Moss.



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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 _____

2-18-15

Override _____

RESOLUTION NO. R-165-15

RESOLUTION APPROVING THE CITY OF HOMESTEAD
CODESIGNATION OF SE 4TH STREET FROM U.S. 1 (SOUTH
DIXIE HIGHWAY) TO KROME AVENUE AS "AMERICAN
LEGION WAY"

WHEREAS, on December 17, 2014, the Homestead City Council adopted Resolution No. R2014-12-132, which codesignated SE 4th Street from U.S. 1 (South Dixie Highway) to Krome Avenue as "American Legion Way", in recognition of the contributions and services rendered by the United States veterans of the American Legion Post 43 to the City of Homestead, a copy of which is attached and incorporated by reference; and

WHEREAS, on September 29, 1919, fifteen World War I veterans applied for a charter of the American Legion, and operated under a temporary charter until July 31, 1920; and

WHEREAS, the American Legion Post 43 in the City of Homestead was chartered nationally on August 1, 1920; and

WHEREAS, the American Legion Post 43 has been in operation in the City of Homestead for 96 years and, among other things, helps support veterans and their families, mentors youth, and donates funds to local programs and schools; and

WHEREAS, on October 7, 2008, this Board passed Resolution No. R-1076-08, which approved the state road designation of SW 59th Avenue from SW 80th Street to SW 72nd Street as "American Legion Way"; and

WHEREAS, the Homestead City Council also desired to honor the American Legion Post 43 for its services; and

WHEREAS, SE 4th Street from U.S. 1 (South Dixie Highway) to Krome Avenue is a city street located in the City of Homestead; and

WHEREAS, the City of Homestead would like the County to install signage indicating this codesignation on County street signs and traffic signal mast arms; and

WHEREAS, this codesignation is located in County Commission Districts 8 and 9,

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 Homestead codesignation of SE 4th Street from U.S. 1 (South Dixie Highway) to Krome Avenue as "American Legion Way".

Section 2. Directs the Clerk of the Board to send certified copies of this Resolution to the City Manager of the City of Homestead, 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 Homestead Police Department, and the Miami-Dade Fire Rescue Department.

The Co-Prime Sponsors of the foregoing resolution are Commissioner Daniella Levine Cava and Commissioner Dennis C. Moss . It was offered by Commissioner **Jose "Pepe" Diaz** 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:

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

The Chairperson thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and adopted this 18th day of February, 2015. This resolution shall become effective upon the earlier of (1) 10 days after the date of its adoption unless vetoed by the County Mayor, and if vetoed, shall become effective only upon an override by this Board, or (2) approval by the County Mayor of this Resolution and the filing of this approval with the Clerk of the 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.

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CITY OF HOMESTEAD, FLORIDA

RESOLUTION NO. R2014-12-132

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HOMESTEAD, FLORIDA, CODESIGNATING SE 4th STREET BETWEEN U.S. 1 (SOUTH DIXIE HIGHWAY) AND KROME AVENUE AS "AMERICAN LEGION WAY" IN HONOR OF CITY OF HOMESTEAD AMERICAN LEGION POST 43; PROVIDING FOR IMPLEMENTATION; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, fifteen World War I veterans applied for a charter of the American Legion on September 29, 1919, and operated under a temporary charter from September 29, 1919 through July 31, 1920; and

WHEREAS, the American Legion Post 43 in the City of Homestead was chartered nationally on August 1, 1920; and

WHEREAS, the American Legion Post 43 in the City of Homestead was chartered in the state of Florida on August 10, 1920; and

WHEREAS, in recognition of the American Legion Post 43 which has been in operation in the City of Homestead for 96 years and leading up to the centennial in 2020, the City Council desires to co-designate a street in the name of the American Legion.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HOMESTEAD, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Recitals Adopted. That the above stated recitals are hereby adopted and confirmed.

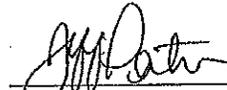
Section 2. Street Co-Designation. That in recognition of the outstanding dedication and service rendered by the U.S. veterans of the American Legion Post 43 to the City of Homestead, the City of Homestead formally co-designates, in perpetuity, SE

4th Street between U.S. 1 (South Dixie Highway) and Krome Avenue as "American Legion Way."

Section 3. Implementation. That the appropriate departments of the City of Homestead are hereby authorized and directed to implement the purpose of this Resolution by erecting the appropriate street signs, subject to any and all necessary coordination with or approval from Miami-Dade County.

Section 4. Effective Date. That this Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption hereof.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS 17th day of December, 2014.



JEFF PORTER,
Mayor

ATTEST:



ELIZABETH SEWELL, MMC
City Clerk


APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:



WEISS, SEROTA, HELFMAN, BIERMAN & POPOK, P.L.
City Attorney

Moved by: Councilman Jon Burgess
Seconded by: Councilwoman Patricia Fairclough
Council Vote: 5-0

<i>Mayor Jeff Porter</i>	<u>YES</u>
<i>Vice Mayor Stephen R. Shelley</i>	<u>YES</u>
<i>Councilman Jon Burgess</i>	<u>YES</u>
<i>Councilwoman Patricia Fairclough</i>	<u>YES</u>
<i>Councilman Elvis Maldonado</i>	<u>ABSENT</u>
<i>Councilwoman Judy Waldman</i>	<u>YES</u>
<i>Councilman Jimmie L. Williams, III</i>	<u>ABSENT</u>