

MEMORANDUM

Agenda Item No. 3(A)(1)

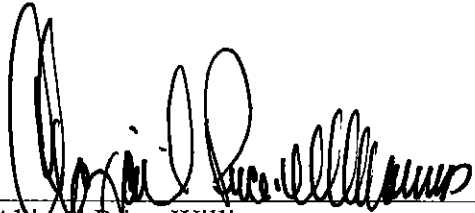
TO: Honorable Chairman Esteban L. Bovo, Jr.
and Members, Board of County Commissioners

DATE: June 5, 2018

FROM: Abigail Price-Williams
County Attorney

SUBJECT: Resolution approving that portion of the Florida Legislature's codesignation of State Road 9/N.W. 27th Avenue between State Road 934/N.W. 79th Street and N.W. 41st Street that is located in County Commission District 2 as "Georgia Ayers Way"

The accompanying resolution was prepared and placed on the agenda at the request of Prime Sponsor Commissioner Jean Monestime.



Abigail Price-Williams
County Attorney

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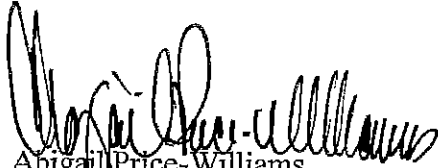
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Please note any items checked.

- "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
- Statement of social equity 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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6-5-18

RESOLUTION NO. _____

RESOLUTION APPROVING THAT PORTION OF THE FLORIDA LEGISLATURE'S CODESIGNATION OF STATE ROAD 9/N.W. 27TH AVENUE BETWEEN STATE ROAD 934/N.W. 79TH STREET AND N.W. 41ST STREET THAT IS LOCATED IN COUNTY COMMISSION DISTRICT 2 AS "GEORGIA AYERS WAY"

WHEREAS, during the 2017 legislative session, the Florida Legislature enacted Chapter 2017-193, Laws of Florida (Senate Bill 368), which in relevant part codesignated that portion of State Road 9/N.W. 27th Avenue between State Road 934/N.W. 79th Street and N.W. 41st Street as "Georgia Ayers Way"; and

WHEREAS, Georgia Ayers was born on October 21, 1928 in Miami's Allapattah neighborhood, an area built for black railway workers that was at the time known as the Railroad Shop Colored Addition; and

WHEREAS, in 1947, many residents of that neighborhood were forced out of their homes and businesses after the local school board purchased land to build a school and park principally for white children from surrounding areas; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Ayers never forgot the evening when the local sheriff came in and removed her family and neighbors from their homes, and for more than a decade thereafter organized a reunion to bring together former Railroad Shop Colored Addition residents to remember when they had lived there and the dramatic way in which they were forced out; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Ayers fought to have the school renamed to honor the displaced, and years later in 2015, the school was renamed in her honor; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Ayers was known for her grass-roots activism, helping those in need during the 1968 Liberty City riot and the 1980 McDuffie riots; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Ayers is perhaps best known for her work with the Alternative Program, which she co-founded with Miami-Dade Circuit Court Judge Tom Peterson in 1982 to offer an alternative to jail sentences for those charged with non-violent crimes; and

WHEREAS, through the program, Ms. Ayers helped countless individuals further their education and find jobs; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Ayers also co-founded the Daily Bread Food Bank; and

WHEREAS, following the 2010 earthquake in Haiti, Ms. Ayers worked to secure donations and aid and to house the injured arriving to Miami at the Alternative Program building; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Ayers passed away in February of 2015 at the age of 86; and

WHEREAS, that portion of State Road 9/N.W. 27th Avenue between State Road 934/N.W. 79th Street and N.W. 41st Street is a state road that crosses through, and is located within, an unincorporated area of Miami-Dade County; and

WHEREAS, section 334.071, Florida Statutes, provides that the installation of state road designation signs shall be contingent on the applicable county or city commission passing a resolution in support of the particular honorary road designation; and

WHEREAS, before the Florida Department of Transportation will install signs reflecting the "Georgia Ayers Way" road codesignation, Miami-Dade County is required to pass a resolution in support of this road designation; and

WHEREAS, this state road codesignation is located within County Commission Districts 2 and 3; and

WHEREAS, this resolution is approving only that portion of the state road codesignation located within County Commission District 2,

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

Section 1. Approves that portion of the Florida Legislature’s codesignation of State Road 9/N.W. 27th Avenue between State Road 934/N.W. 79th Street and N.W. 41st Street that is located in County Commission District 2 as “Georgia Ayers Way”.

Section 2. Directs the Clerk of the Board to transmit a certified copy of this resolution to the United States Postal Service, the Traffic Signals and Signs Division of the Transportation and Public Works Department, the Development Services Division of the Regulatory and Economic Resources Department, the Miami-Dade County Police Department and the Miami-Dade County Fire Rescue Department.

The Prime Sponsor of the foregoing resolution is Commissioner Jean Monestime. It was offered by Commissioner _____, who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner _____ and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

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| Esteban L. Bovo, Jr., Chairman | |
| Audrey M. Edmonson, Vice Chairwoman | |
| Daniella Levine Cava | Jose "Pepe" Diaz |
| Sally A. Heyman | Barbara J. Jordan |
| Joe A. Martinez | Jean Monestime |
| Dennis C. Moss | Rebeca Sosa |
| Sen. Javier D. Souto | Xavier L. Suarez |
| | District 5 - Vacant |

The Chairperson thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and adopted this 5th day of June, 2018. 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: _____
Deputy Clerk

Approved by County Attorney as
to form and legal sufficiency.

James Eddie Kirtley

