

MEMORANDUM

Agenda Item No. 3(A)(12)

TO: Honorable Chairman Anthony Rodriguez
and Members, Board of County Commissioners

DATE: March 4, 2025

FROM: Geri Bonzon-Keenan
County Attorney

SUBJECT: Resolution approving the City of Miami codesignatons of: (1) that portion of Northeast 2nd Court between Northeast 67th Street and Northeast 65th Street as "Rudman Way"; (2) that portion of Northwest 19th Avenue from Northwest 34th Street to Northwest 36th Street as "Mirta Sandra Fuentes Way"; (3) that portion of Northwest 2nd Avenue between Northwest 62nd Street and Northwest 59th Street as "Nat Moore Way"; and (4) that portion of Northwest 11th Avenue between Northwest 58th Street and Northwest 60th Street as "Luther Campbell Way"

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



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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 present ____, 2/3 membership ____, 3/5’s ____, unanimous ____, majority plus one ____, CDMP 7 vote requirement per 2-116.1(3)(h) or (4)(c) ____, CDMP 2/3 vote requirement per 2-116.1(3) (h) or (4)(c) ____, CDMP 9 vote requirement per 2-116.1(4)(c) (2) ____) to approve**
- Current information regarding funding source, index code and available balance, and available capacity (if debt is contemplated) required**

Approved _____ Mayor
Veto _____
Override _____

Agenda Item No. 3(A)(12)
3-4-25

RESOLUTION NO. _____

RESOLUTION APPROVING THE CITY OF MIAMI CODESIGNATIONS OF: (1) THAT PORTION OF NORTHEAST 2ND COURT BETWEEN NORTHEAST 67TH STREET AND NORTHEAST 65TH STREET AS “RUDMAN WAY”; (2) THAT PORTION OF NORTHWEST 19TH AVENUE FROM NORTHWEST 34TH STREET TO NORTHWEST 36TH STREET AS “MIRTA SANDRA FUENTES WAY”; (3) THAT PORTION OF NORTHWEST 2ND AVENUE BETWEEN NORTHWEST 62ND STREET AND NORTHWEST 59TH STREET AS “NAT MOORE WAY”; AND (4) THAT PORTION OF NORTHWEST 11TH AVENUE BETWEEN NORTHWEST 58TH STREET AND NORTHWEST 60TH STREET AS “LUTHER CAMPBELL WAY”

WHEREAS, on November 21, 2024, the City Commission of the City of Miami (the “City”) passed Resolution R-24-0474, a copy of which is attached hereto and incorporated by reference, codesignating that portion of Northeast 2nd Court between Northeast 67th Street and Northeast 65th Street as “Rudman Way” to acknowledge the contributions of Raul Rudman to the Little Haiti Commercial District and the City of Miami; and

WHEREAS, for over 61 years, Sportailor, Inc., located at 6501 Northeast 2nd Court, has been vital to Miami’s Little Haiti Commercial District, with the Rudman family contributing to the local economy, employing countless local residents, expanding to include national brands, and reinvesting in the community, making it fit to recognize Raul Rudman’s contributions; and

WHEREAS, that portion of Northeast 2nd Court between Northeast 67th Street and Northeast 65th Street is a city road located in the City and within County Commission District 3; and

WHEREAS, on November 21, 2024, the City also passed Resolution R-24-0473, a copy of which is attached hereto and incorporated by reference, codesignating that portion of Northwest 19th Avenue from Northwest 34th Street to Northwest 36th Street as “Mirta Sandra Fuentes Way” to honor Mirta Sandra Fuentes’s contributions to the City of Miami and the Greater Miami Area; and

WHEREAS, Mirta Sandra Fuentes, born in Havana, Cuba, in 1948, immigrated to the United States in 1961, later settling in Miami, where she dedicated her life to community service, advocacy and education, earning recognition as the “Mother Theresa of Miami,” making it fit to honor her contributions to the City and the Greater Miami Area; and

WHEREAS, that portion of Northwest 19th Avenue from Northwest 34th Street to Northwest 36th Street is a city road located in the City and within County Commission District 3; and

WHEREAS, on November 21, 2024, the City also passed Resolution R-24-0475, a copy of which is attached hereto and incorporated by reference, codesignating that portion of Northwest 2nd Avenue between Northwest 62nd Street and Northwest 59th Street as “Nat Moore Way” to honor the legacy and contributions of Nathaniel “Nat” Moore to the City of Miami; and

WHEREAS, Nat Moore, a Miami native and former Miami Dolphins star, made significant athletic and humanitarian contributions, earning accolades such as the Dolphins’ NFL Man of the Year and Byron White Humanitarian Award, making it fit to honor his legacy and contributions to the City; and

WHEREAS, that portion of Northwest 2nd Avenue between Northwest 62nd Street and Northwest 59th Street is a city road located in the City and within County Commission District 3; and

WHEREAS, on December 12, 2024, the City passed Resolution R-24-0502, a copy of which is attached hereto and incorporated by reference, codesignating that portion of Northwest 11th Avenue between Northwest 58th Street and Northwest 60th Street as “Luther Campbell Way” to acknowledge Luther Campbell’s community service, contributions to the music industry, and advocacy for free speech; and

WHEREAS, Luther “Uncle Luke” Campbell, a Miami native, has made significant cultural and community contributions through music, free speech advocacy, youth mentorship, and high school football coaching, making it fit to acknowledge his contributions to the City; and

WHEREAS, that portion of Northwest 11th Avenue between Northwest 58th Street and Northwest 60th Street is a city road located in the City and within County Commission District 3; and

WHEREAS, the City would like for the County to install signage indicating these codesignations on County street signs and traffic signal mast arms; and

WHEREAS, this Board would also like to honor Raul Rudman, Mirta Sandra Fuentes, Nathaniel “Nat” Moore, and Luther “Uncle Luke” Campbell by approving the abovementioned City of Miami codesignations,

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 Miami’s codesignations of: (1) that portion of Northeast 2nd Court between Northeast 67th Street and Northeast 65th Street as “Rudman Way”; (2) that portion of Northwest 19th Avenue from Northwest 34th Street to Northwest 36th Street as “Mirta Sandra Fuentes Way”; (3) that portion of Northwest 2nd Avenue between Northwest 62nd

Street and Northwest 59th Street as “Nat Moore Way”; and (4) that portion of Northwest 11th Avenue between Northwest 58th Street and Northwest 60th Street as “Luther Campbell Way”.

Section 2. Directs the Clerk of the Board to send certified copies of this Resolution to the Mayor and City Commission of the City of Miami, the United States Postal Service, the Traffic Signals and Signs Division of the Department of Transportation and Public Works, the Development Services Division of the Regulatory and Economic Resources Department, the City of Miami Police Department, and the City of Miami Fire-Rescue Department.

The Prime Sponsor of the foregoing resolution is Commissioner Keon Hardemon. 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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| Anthony Rodriguez, Chairman | |
| Kionne L. McGhee, Vice Chairman | |
| Marleine Bastien | Juan Carlos Bermudez |
| Kevin Marino Cabrera | Sen. René García |
| Oliver G. Gilbert, III | Roberto J. Gonzalez |
| Keon Hardemon | Danielle Cohen Higgins |
| Eileen Higgins | Raquel A. Regalado |
| Micky Steinberg | |

The Chairperson thereupon declared this resolution duly passed and adopted this 4th day of March, 2025. 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

JUAN FERNANDEZ-BARQUIN, CLERK

By: _____
Deputy Clerk

Approved by County Attorney
as to form and legal sufficiency.



Narinah P. Jean-Baptiste
Michael J. Mastrucci



City of Miami
Resolution R-24-0474

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Legislation

File Number: 16868

Final Action Date: 11/21/2024

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI, FLORIDA, CODESIGNATING NORTHEAST 2ND COURT BETWEEN NORTHEAST 67TH STREET AND NORTHEAST 65TH STREET AS “RUDMAN WAY”; ACKNOWLEDGING THE CONTRIBUTIONS OF RAUL RUDMAN TO THE LITTLE HAITI COMMERCIAL DISTRICT AND THE CITY OF MIAMI; FURTHER DIRECTING THE CITY CLERK TO TRANSMIT A COPY OF THIS RESOLUTION TO THE HEREIN DESIGNATED OFFICIALS.

SPONSOR(S): Commissioner Christine King

WHEREAS, Sportailor, Inc., located at 6501 Northeast 2nd Court, has been conducting business in the City of Miami’s (“City”) Little Haiti Commercial District for over 61 years; and

WHEREAS, the Rudman family, through four generations, has significantly contributed to the local economy and community by employing countless local residents, with an average employee tenure of 26 years, and several employees having served for over 45 years; and

WHEREAS, the Rudman family’s history is marked by resilience and perseverance, having escaped Nazi Poland in the late 1930s, fled Fidel Castro’s communist regime in Cuba, and ultimately settled in Miami, FL in 1961; and

WHEREAS, Raul Rudman, the family patriarch, established Sportailor, Inc. in 1963, growing the business from door-to-door stitching services to a thriving enterprise with the help of his son, Frank Rudman, who balanced education and business responsibilities to propel the company forward; and

WHEREAS, Sportailor, Inc. has grown to include national brands such as Weekender Sportswear and Hook & Tackle, contributing to the economic vitality of the City; and

WHEREAS, the Rudman family has continuously reinvested in their business and the community, acquiring properties and supporting local development; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting and proper that the City recognize Raul Rudman’s contributions by co-designating Northeast 2nd Court between and Northeast 67th Street and Northeast 65th Street as “Rudman Way”;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI, FLORIDA:

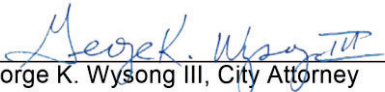
Section 1. The recitals and findings contained in the Preamble to this Resolution are adopted by reference and incorporated as if fully set forth in this Section.

Section 2. The City Commission hereby codesignates Northeast 2nd Court between Northeast 67th Street and Northeast 65th Street, Miami, Florida, as “Rudman Way.”

Section 3. The City Clerk is directed to transmit a certified copy of this Resolution to the Departments of Police, Fire-Rescue, and Solid Waste; the Miami-Dade County Department of Transportation and Public Works; the Miami-Dade County Commissioner of District 3; the United States Postal Service; and, if a State of Florida road, to the Florida Department of Transportation, District Six, for sign installation within the newly designated roadway.

Section 4. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption.

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND CORRECTNESS:


George K. Wysong III, City Attorney 11/12/2024



City of Miami

Resolution R-24-0473

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File Number: 16872

Final Action Date: 11/21/2024

A RESOLUTION OF THE MIAMI CITY COMMISSION CODESIGNATING A PORTION OF NORTHWEST 19TH AVENUE FROM NORTHWEST 34TH STREET TO NORTHWEST 36TH STREET AS “MIRTA SANDRA FUENTES WAY” HONORING HER CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE CITY OF MIAMI (“CITY”) AND THE GREATER MIAMI AREA, PURSUANT TO SECTION 54-137 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF MIAMI, FLORIDA, AS AMENDED; FURTHER DIRECTING THE CITY CLERK TO TRANSMIT A COPY OF THIS RESOLUTION TO THE HEREIN DESIGNATED OFFICIALS.

SPONSOR(S): Commissioner Miguel Angel Gabela, Commissioner Joe Carollo

WHEREAS, Mirta Sandra Fuentes was born on March 29, 1948, in Havana, Cuba, and immigrated to the United States in 1961, where she was reunited with her family in Washington D.C.; and

WHEREAS, Mirta Sandra Fuentes married Francisco Manuel Fuentes in Northern Virginia at the age of 18, and their marriage spanned 56 years, including 7 years in Spain where Francisco completed medical school; and

WHEREAS, after returning to the United States, the Fuentes family moved to Miami in 1982, Mirta Sandra Fuentes dedicated her life to helping others, particularly the most vulnerable in the community, becoming a Guardian Ad Litem in the State of Florida in 1993 and serving as the Director of Child Affairs for Amigos for Kids for 17 years; and

WHEREAS, she pursued higher education and graduated Cum Laude with a Bachelor of Liberal Studies from Barry University in 2001, later being recognized as a Distinguished Alumni for her professional achievements and contributions to society; and

WHEREAS, Mirta Sandra Fuentes worked with the Honey Shine Mentoring Program, Alonzo Mourning Charities, and held various professional roles, including Community Outreach Worker and Program Supervisor at the Children’s Home Society, and Program Director of the Leadership Learning Center at St. John Bosco Church; and

WHEREAS, her work impacted countless lives, providing after-school assistance, physical fitness, nutrition, and creative programs for hundreds of needy children and their families; and

WHEREAS, Mirta Sandra Fuentes was affectionately known as the “Mother Theresa of Miami” for her tireless dedication to the community and her extensive volunteer work; and

WHEREAS, the City of Miami wishes to honor Mirta Sandra Fuentes by codesignating a portion of Northwest 19th Avenue From Northwest 34th Street To Northwest 36th Street as “Mirta Sandra Fuentes Way” in recognition of her outstanding service and contributions to the community as well as the founder of the Leadership Learning Center at St. Juan Bosco;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI, FLORIDA:

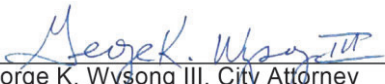
Section 1. The recitals and findings contained in the preamble to this Resolution are adopted by reference and incorporated as if fully set forth in this Section.

Section 2. The Miami City Commission hereby codesignates a portion of Northwest 19th Avenue From Northwest 34th Street To Northwest 36th Street as "Mirta Sandra Fuentes Way."

Section 3. The City Clerk is directed to transmit a certified copy of this Resolution to the Departments of Police, Fire-Rescue, and Solid Waste; the Miami-Dade County Department of Transportation and Public Works; the Miami-Dade County Commissioner of District 3; the United States Postal Service; and, if a State of Florida road, to the Florida Department of Transportation, District Six, for sign installation within the newly designated roadway.

Section 4. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption.

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND CORRECTNESS:



George K. Wysong III, City Attorney 11/12/2024



City of Miami
Resolution R-24-0475

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File Number: 16887

Final Action Date: 11/21/2024

A RESOLUTION OF THE MIAMI CITY COMMISSION, BY A FOUR-FIFTHS (4/5THS) AFFIRMATIVE VOTE , WAIVING THE RESTRICTIONS RELATED TO STREET NAMING CONTAINED IN SECTION 54-137 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF MIAMI, FLORIDA (“CITY CODE”), AND CO-DESIGNATING NORTHWEST 2ND AVENUE BETWEEN NORTHWEST 62ND STREET AND NORTHWEST 59TH STREET AS “NAT MOORE WAY,” TO HONOR THE LEGACY AND CONTRIBUTIONS OF NATHANIEL “NAT” MOORE TO THE CITY OF MIAMI; FURTHER DIRECTING THE CITY CLERK TO TRANSMIT A COPY OF THIS RESOLUTION TO THE HEREIN DESIGNATED OFFICIALS.

SPONSOR(S): Commissioner Christine King

WHEREAS, Nathaniel “Nat” Moore (“Moore”) has made significant contributions to the City of Miami through his outstanding career as a professional football player with the Miami Dolphins and through his extensive community service; and

WHEREAS, Moore was born in Tallahassee, Florida, in 1951, and grew up in Miami, Florida, where he attended Miami Edison Senior High School and Miami-Dade Community College; and

WHEREAS, on the recommendation of his junior college football coach, Moore received an athletic scholarship to transfer from the University of Tennessee at Martin to the University of Florida in Gainesville, Florida, where he was a star running back for coach Doug Dickey’s Gators teams in 1972 and 1973; and

WHEREAS, as a junior in 1972, Moore led the Gators with 145 rushes for 845 yards and 9 rushing touchdowns, 25 receptions for 351 receiving yards and 4 touchdown catches, and 230 return yards, while earning first-team All-Southeastern Conference (SEC) and honorable mention All-American accolades; and

WHEREAS, Moore graduated from the University of Florida with a bachelor’s degree in exercise and sport science in 1975, and he was inducted into the University of Florida Athletic Hall of Fame as a “Gator Great” in 1978; and

WHEREAS, Moore was chosen by the Miami Dolphins in the third round as the 78th overall pick in the 1974 NFL draft, and he played for the Miami Dolphins for 13 seasons from 1974 to 1986; and

WHEREAS, Moore was elected to the Pro Bowl in 1977, after a season in which he made 52 receptions and led the league with 12 receiving touchdowns, becoming the NFL receiving touchdown leader for the season; and

WHEREAS, Moore is immortalized in the famous “Helicopter Catch” video clip, while making a reception against the New York Jets at Giants Stadium in 1984 where he was hit

simultaneously from opposite directions by two Jets defenders that sent Moore's body spinning into the air as he held onto the football for a completion; and

WHEREAS, Moore was named the Dolphins' 1984 NFL "Man of the Year" and was awarded by the NFL Players Association the 1985 Byron White Humanitarian Award, which recognizes the player who went above and beyond to perform community service in their team's hometown; and

WHEREAS, by the time Moore retired at the end of 1986, his 13th season with the Dolphins, he had broken almost every Dolphin receiving record; and

WHEREAS, in 1987, Dolphins Founder Joe Robbie renamed the Dolphins' community service award to The Nat Moore Community Service Award in his honor; and

WHEREAS, Moore is one of the most celebrated players in Dolphins history, having played in Super Bowls XVII and XIX, and establishing a positive reputation on and off the field with his humanitarian work and philanthropy; and

WHEREAS, Moore has been the team's senior vice president of special projects and alumni relations since 2013, overseeing the Dolphins alumni activities and working closely with Dolphins Vice Chairman, President and CEO on a variety of special projects; and

WHEREAS, in 2018, the organization partnered with the Nat Moore Endowment Fund to provide South Florida youth with the financial resources needed to pursue avenues of education and training for employment readiness; and

WHEREAS, Moore resides in Miami with his wife, Pat, and continues to be an active and influential member of the community; and

WHEREAS, the City of Miami wishes to honor Nat Moore's legacy and contributions by co-designating a portion of Northwest 2nd Avenue in his name; and

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 14317, adopted on September 26, 2024, provides that the restrictions related to street naming contained in Section 54-137 of the Code of the City of Miami, Florida ("City Code"), may be waived by a four-fifths (4/5ths) affirmative vote of the City Commissioners, or an unanimous vote of the quorum that exists because of either abstentions or vacancies resulting from resignation, death, suspension, or physical incapacitation; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the residents of the City of Miami, Florida, to waive the restrictions contained in Section 54-137 of the City Code related to renaming streets in order to co-designate Northwest 2nd Avenue between Northwest 62nd Street and Northwest 59th Street as "Nat Moore Way" as a lasting tribute to his achievements and community service;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI:

Section 1. The recitals and findings contained in the Preamble to this Resolution are adopted by reference and incorporated as if fully set forth in this Section.

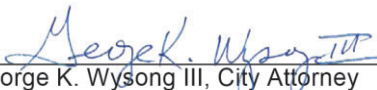
Section 2. The City Commission, by a four-fifths (4/5ths) affirmative vote, pursuant to Section 54-137 of the City Code, hereby waives the restrictions related to street naming contained in Section 54-137 of the City Code and hereby co-designates that portion of

Northwest 2nd Avenue between Northwest 62nd Street and Northwest 59th Street within the City’s jurisdictional limits as “Nat Moore Way.”

Section 3. The City Clerk is directed to transmit a certified copy of this Resolution to the Departments of Police, Fire-Rescue, and Solid Waste; the Miami-Dade County Department of Transportation and Public Works; the Miami-Dade County Commissioner of District 3; the United States Postal Service; and, if a State of Florida road, to the Florida Department of Transportation, District Six, for sign installation within the newly designated roadway.

Section 4. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption.

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND CORRECTNESS:



George K. Wysong III, City Attorney 11/12/2024



City of Miami
Resolution R-24-0502

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Legislation

File Number: 17003

Final Action Date: 12/12/2024

A RESOLUTION OF THE MIAMI CITY COMMISSION, BY A FOUR-FIFTHS AFFIRMATIVE (4/5THS) VOTE, PURSUANT TO SECTION 54-137 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF MIAMI, FLORIDA, AS AMENDED ("CITY CODE") WAIVING THE RESTRICTIONS RELATED TO STREET RENAMING CONTAINED THEREIN, CODESIGNATING NORTHWEST 11TH AVENUE BETWEEN NORTHWEST 58TH STREET AND NORTHWEST 60TH STREET AS "LUTHER CAMPBELL WAY," THEREBY ACKNOWLEDGING LUTHER CAMPBELL'S COMMUNITY SERVICE, CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE MUSIC INDUSTRY, AND ADVOCACY FOR FREE SPEECH; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

SPONSOR(S): Mayor Francis X. Suarez, Commissioner Damian Pardo, Commissioner Manolo Reyes, Commissioner Christine King

WHEREAS, Luther Roderick Campbell, also known as "Uncle Luke," was born on December 22, 1960, in Miami, Florida, to parents of Bahamian and Jamaican ancestry; and

WHEREAS, Luther Campbell graduated from Miami Beach Senior High School in 1979, and later enrolled in an eight-week study course at Miami public radio station WDNA, where he learned basic audio editing and production techniques; and

WHEREAS, Luther Campbell began his career in the early 1980s, working as a cook at Mount Sinai Hospital in Miami Beach and promoting rap groups of the era in Miami; and

WHEREAS, in 1984, Luther Campbell discovered the California-based rap group 2 Live Crew, bringing them to Miami and started managing the group, eventually joining the group, and leading to the formation of Luke Records f/k/a Luke Skywalker Records; and

WHEREAS, under Luther Campbell's leadership, 2 Live Crew released several successful albums, including "The 2 Live Crew Is What We Are" (1986), "Move Somethin'" (1988), and the controversial "As Nasty As They Wanna Be" (1989), which became the first album in history to be deemed legally obscene; and

WHEREAS, Luther Campbell's advocacy for free speech was highlighted during the 1990 obscenity trial, which ultimately led to the Eleventh Circuit Court of Appeals' ruling that protected the groups' First Amendment rights and that of other artists; and

WHEREAS, Luther Campbell can be credited with fighting for the right to be able parody the song "Pretty Woman," which led to a United States Supreme Court ruling that a commercial parody can qualify as fair use and the lyrics of the original and the parody enshrined in the legal opinion; and

WHEREAS, beyond his music career, Luther Campbell has been involved in various ventures, including hosting a sports talk radio show, appearing in films and video games, and

running for Mayor of Miami-Dade County in 2011; and

WHEREAS, Luther Campbell has also enriched many as a freelance writer with his column in the Miami New Times titled “Luke’s Gospel,” which gives insight to matters affecting the community and country at large; and

WHEREAS, Luther Campbell has made significant contributions to the Miami community through his extensive community service efforts, including mentoring youth, supporting local schools, and organizing charitable events, founding the Liberty City Optimist Club at Charles Hadley Park; and

WHEREAS, Luther Campbell’s career in high school football started in 2009 as the linebackers coach at Miami Central High School and as of 2018, he is the head football coach for Miami Edison High School, where he not only inspires his players on the football field but takes his players on tours of colleges all across the Southeastern United States to further encourage their educational pursuits; and

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 14317, adopted on September 26, 2024, provides that the restrictions related to street co-designations, including the restriction on renaming named streets, contained in Section 54-137 of the Code of the City of Miami, Florida (“City Code”), may be waived by a four-fifths (4/5ths) affirmative vote of the City Commissioners, or an unanimous vote of the quorum that exists because of either abstentions or vacancies resulting from resignation, death, suspension, or physical incapacitation; and

WHEREAS, the City of Miami wishes to honor Luther Campbell’s enduring influence and commitment to both the local community and broader cultural conversations by co-designating a portion of Northwest 11th Avenue in his name;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI, FLORIDA:

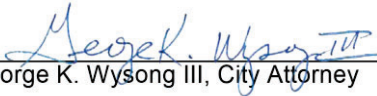
Section 1. The recitals and findings contained in the Preamble to this Resolution are adopted by reference and incorporated as if fully set forth in this Section.

Section 2. The City Commission, by a four-fifths (4/5ths) affirmative vote, pursuant to Section 54-137 of the City Code, hereby waives the restrictions related to street renaming contained therein and co-designates Northwest 11th Avenue between Northwest 58th Street and Northwest 60th Street as “Luther Campbell Way.”

Section 3. The City Clerk is directed to transmit a certified copy of this Resolution to the Departments of Police, Fire-Rescue, and Solid Waste; the Miami-Dade County Department of Transportation and Public Works; the Miami-Dade County Commissioner of District 3; the United States Postal Service; and, if a State of Florida road, to the Florida Department of Transportation, District Six, for sign installation within the newly designated roadway.

Section 4. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption.

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND CORRECTNESS:



George K. Wysong III, City Attorney 12/3/2024