

MEMORANDUM

Agenda Item No. 3(A)(3)

TO: Honorable Chairman Jose "Pepe" Diaz
and Members, Board of County Commissioners

DATE: March 1, 2022

FROM: Geri Bonzon-Keenan
County Attorney

SUBJECT: Resolution approving the City of
Miami's codesignation of that
portion of Southwest 25th Street
from Southwest 24th Avenue to
Southwest 27th Avenue as "Las
Muchachitas de Villa María
Street"

Resolution No. R-172-22

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



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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 ____, 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) ____, or 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)(3)
3-1-22

RESOLUTION NO. _____ R-172-22

RESOLUTION APPROVING THE CITY OF MIAMI'S CODESIGNATION OF THAT PORTION OF SOUTHWEST 25TH STREET FROM SOUTHWEST 24TH AVENUE TO SOUTHWEST 27TH AVENUE AS "LAS MUCHACHITAS DE VILLA MARÍA STREET"

WHEREAS, the City of Miami passed Resolution No. R-21-0471 on December 9, 2021, which codesignated that portion of Southwest 25th Street from Southwest 24th Avenue to Southwest 27th Avenue in Miami, Florida as "Las Muchachitas de Villa María Street"; and

WHEREAS, a copy of Resolution No. R-21-0471 is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference; and

WHEREAS, almost 60 years ago, a group of 40 brave Cuban-born girls arrived in the United States through Operation Pedro Pan and were housed at Villa María, a shelter run by Catholic nuns in San Antonio, Texas; and

WHEREAS, those girls forged a bond of love and friendship as they learned to adapt to their new environment and became known collectively as "Las Muchachitas de Villa María"; and

WHEREAS, Las Muchachitas de Villa María have remained friends for almost 60 years to date and have been a tremendous source of strength that elevates the quality of life in every community in which they live, because of their exemplary display of tenacity, courage, and creativity; and

WHEREAS, Las Muchachitas de Villa María live in numerous communities throughout the United States, with the majority of them living in Miami-Dade County; and

WHEREAS, Las Muchachitas de Villa María have made outstanding and commendable contributions to every community in which they live, including the County; and

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

WHEREAS, Southwest 25th Street from Southwest 24th Avenue to Southwest 27th Avenue is a city-maintained road located in the City of Miami; and

WHEREAS, this codesignation is located in County Commission District 5; and

WHEREAS, this Board would also like to honor Las Muchachitas de Villa María by approving the City of Miami’s codesignation of that portion of Southwest 25th Street from Southwest 24th Avenue to Southwest 27th Avenue as “Las Muchachitas de Villa María Street”,

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 codesignation of that portion of Southwest 25th Street from Southwest 24th Avenue to Southwest 27th Avenue as “Las Muchachitas de Villa María Street”.

Section 2. Directs the Clerk of the Board to transmit a certified copy 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 Fire Rescue Department, and the City of Miami Police Department.

The Prime Sponsor of the foregoing resolution is Commissioner Eileen Higgins. It was offered by Commissioner **Rebeca Sosa**, who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner **Oliver G. Gilbert, III** and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Jose "Pepe" Diaz, Chairman	aye		
Oliver G. Gilbert, III, Vice-Chairman	aye		
Sen. René García	aye	Keon Hardemon	aye
Sally A. Heyman	absent	Danielle Cohen Higgins	aye
Eileen Higgins	aye	Joe A. Martinez	aye
Kionne L. McGhee	aye	Jean Monestime	aye
Raquel A. Regalado	aye	Rebeca Sosa	aye
Sen. Javier D. Souto	absent		

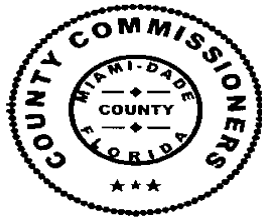
The Chairperson thereupon declared this resolution duly passed and adopted this 1st day of March, 2022. This resolution shall become effective upon the earlier of (1) 10 days after the date of its adoption unless vetoed by the County Mayor, and if vetoed, shall become effective only upon an override 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

Basia Pruna

By: _____
 Deputy Clerk



Approved by County Attorney as
 to form and legal sufficiency.

Christian J. Fernandez-Andes



AGENDA ITEM COVER PAGE

File ID: #11107

Resolution

Sponsored by: Commissioner Manolo Reyes

A RESOLUTION OF THE MIAMI CITY COMMISSION CO-DESIGNATING SOUTHWEST 25TH STREET FROM SOUTHWEST 24TH AVENUE TO SOUTHWEST 27TH AVENUE, MIAMI, FLORIDA AS "LAS MUCHACHITAS DE VILLA MARÍA STREET" 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.



City of Miami
Legislation
Resolution

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WHEREAS, Las Muchachitas de Villa María live in numerous communities throughout the United States, with the majority of them living in the City of Miami (“City”); and

WHEREAS, Las Muchachitas de Villa María have made outstanding and commendable contributions to every community in which they live, including the City; and

WHEREAS, the City would like to honor Las Muchachitas de Villa María by co-designating Southwest 25th Street from Southwest 24th Avenue to Southwest 27th Avenue, Miami, Florida as “Las Muchachitas De Villa María Street”;

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

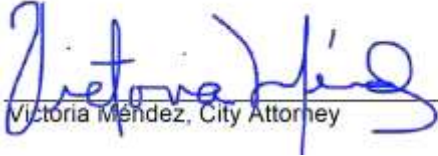
Section 1. The recitals and findings contained in the Preamble to this Resolution are adopted by reference and incorporated as if fully set forth in this Section.

Section 2. The City Commission co-designates that portion within the City’s limits of Southwest 25th Street from Southwest 24th Avenue to Southwest 27th Avenue, Miami, Florida as “Las Muchachitas de Villa María Street”.

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 5; 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:


Victoria Méndez, City Attorney 11/30/2021