

MEMORANDUM

Agenda Item No. 3(A)(2)

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

DATE: October 18, 2022

FROM: Geri Bonzon-Keenan
County Attorney

SUBJECT: Resolution approving the state
road codesignation of U.S.
41/S.W. 8th Street between S.W.
21st Avenue and SW 22nd
Avenue as "Bellas Artes Way"

Resolution No. R-974-22

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



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(Revised)

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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 _____

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10-18-22

RESOLUTION NO. _____ R-974-22

RESOLUTION APPROVING THE STATE ROAD
CODESIGNATION OF U.S. 41/S.W. 8TH STREET BETWEEN
S.W. 21ST AVENUE AND SW 22ND AVENUE AS “BELLAS
ARTES WAY”

WHEREAS, during the 2022 regular session, the Florida Legislature passed Senate Bill (SB) 160, which codesignated that portion of U.S. 41/S.W. 8th Street between S.W. 21st Avenue and S.W. 22nd Avenue in Miami-Dade County as “Bellas Artes Way”; and

WHEREAS, “bellas artes” means “fine arts” in Spanish, and S.W. 8th Street and the surrounding areas in Little Havana are an artistic hub for visual and performing arts in Miami-Dade County; and

WHEREAS, the historic “Teatro de las Bellas Artes”, which is a theatre that provided numerous successful and popular Spanish-language theatrical shows for several decades, is located at 2173 S.W. 8th Street in Miami; and

WHEREAS, section 334.071, Florida States, provides that once a state road codesignation has been made by the Florida Legislature, 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, in recognition of the important contributions to the arts in our community that were made on S.W. 8th Street, this Board would like to honor the fine arts by approving this state codesignation; and

WHEREAS, that portion of U.S. 41/S.W. 8th Street between S.W. 21st Avenue and S.W. 22nd Avenue is a state road located in the City of Miami; and

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

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

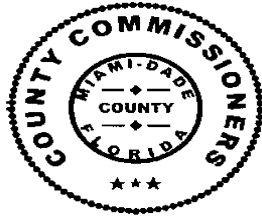
Section 1. Approves the state road codesignations of U.S. 41/S.W. 8th Street between S.W. 21st Avenue and S.W. 22nd Avenue as “Bellas Artes Way”.

Section 2. Directs the Clerk of the Board to transmit certified copies of this Resolution to the Secretary of the Florida Department of Transportation, 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 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	aye	Danielle Cohen Higgins	aye
Eileen Higgins	aye	Kionne L. McGhee	aye
Jean Monestime	aye	Raquel A. Regalado	aye
Rebeca Sosa	aye	Sen. Javier D. Souto	aye

The Chairperson thereupon declared this resolution duly passed and adopted this 18th day of October, 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

By: **Basia Pruna**
Deputy Clerk

Approved by County Attorney as
to form and legal sufficiency.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "AGM", is written over a horizontal line.

Andrea Gonzalez Mateo