

## **MEMORANDUM**

Agenda Item No. 5(O)

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**TO:** Honorable Chairman Oliver G. Gilbert, III  
and Members, Board of County Commissioners

**DATE:** December 12, 2023

**FROM:** Geri Bonzon-Keenan  
County Attorney

**SUBJECT:** Resolution codesignating that  
portion of SW 56th Street  
between SW 77th Court and  
SW 82nd Avenue Road  
“Rev. Alberto M. Delgado  
Way” by a three-fifths vote  
of Board members present

Resolution No. R-1063-23

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The accompanying resolution was prepared and placed on the agenda at the request of Prime Sponsor Commissioner Kevin Marino Cabrera.



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Geri Bonzon-Keenan  
County Attorney

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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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12-12-23

RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_ R-1063-23

RESOLUTION CODESIGNATING THAT PORTION OF SW  
56TH STREET BETWEEN SW 77TH COURT AND SW 82ND  
AVENUE ROAD "REV. ALBERTO M. DELGADO WAY" BY A  
THREE-FIFTHS VOTE OF BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT

**WHEREAS**, Rev. Alberto M. Delgado was born in Havana, Cuba on October 12, 1946,  
and arrived in America as part of Operation Peter Pan in 1962; and

**WHEREAS**, Rev. Alberto M. Delgado was placed by the Catholic Welfare Bureau in an  
orphanage in Albuquerque, New Mexico where he completed high school and attended the  
University of New Mexico for one year; and

**WHEREAS**, Rev. Alberto M. Delgado served this Country in the United States Army  
Medical Corp. during the Vietnam war; and

**WHEREAS**, in 1968, Rev. Alberto M. Delgado returned to Miami for a short time before  
attending the Chicago Bible College and the Rhema Bible Training Center, where he graduated in  
1979; and

**WHEREAS**, Rev. Alberto M. Delgado served as a missionary for several years in  
Guatemala, Mexico, and Belize; and

**WHEREAS**, in 1985 Rev. Alberto M. Delgado returned to Miami and established a  
bilingual local church that is known today as Alpha & Omega; and

**WHEREAS**, in 1993, this Board honored Rev. Alberto M. Delgado by proclaiming a day  
in his honor for his humanitarian work in the community; and

**WHEREAS**, in 2011, Alberto M. Delgado was awarded a Certificate of Congressional  
Recognition in Washington D.C.; and

**WHEREAS**, the congregation that Rev. Alberto M. Delgado leads in Miami has over 5,000 members; and

**WHEREAS**, Rev. Alberto M. Delgado is a chaplain for the Miami-Dade Police Department and the Florida Highway Patrol; and

**WHEREAS**, Rev. Alberto M. Delgado has made a direct, significant lifetime contribution to this community by leading a congregation that assists more than 250 needy families a month, provides school supplies to needy children each year, donates over 1,000 toys each year to non-profit organizations in the community, provides spiritual support and hope to the elderly in assisted living facilities and incarcerated men and women; and

**WHEREAS**, that portion of SW 56th Street between SW 77th Court and SW 82nd Avenue Road is a County-maintained road located within unincorporated Miami-Dade County; and

**WHEREAS**, this proposed codesignation is located in County Commission District 6,

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

**Section 1.** Finds that Rev. Alberto M. Delgado has made a direct, significant, lifetime contributions to this community pursuant to Rule 9.02(d).

**Section 2.** Having considered this matter at a public hearing, and by a three-fifths vote of Board members present, codesignates that portion of SW 56th Street between SW 77th Court and SW 82nd Avenue Road as “Rev. Alberto M. Delgado Way”.

**Section 3.** Directs the Clerk of the Board to send certified copies of this resolution to 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 Miami-Dade Police Department, and the Miami-Dade Fire Rescue Department.

The Prime Sponsor of the foregoing resolution is Commissioner Kevin Marino Cabrera. It was offered by Commissioner **Eileen Higgins**, who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner **Raquel A. Regalado** and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

|                        |                                  |                                 |
|------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
|                        | Oliver G. Gilbert, III, Chairman | <b>aye</b>                      |
|                        | Anthony Rodríguez, Vice Chairman | <b>aye</b>                      |
| Marleine Bastien       | <b>absent</b>                    | Juan Carlos Bermudez <b>aye</b> |
| Kevin Marino Cabrera   | <b>aye</b>                       | Sen. René García <b>aye</b>     |
| Roberto J. Gonzalez    | <b>aye</b>                       | Keon Hardemon <b>absent</b>     |
| Danielle Cohen Higgins | <b>aye</b>                       | Eileen Higgins <b>aye</b>       |
| Kionne L. McGhee       | <b>aye</b>                       | Raquel A. Regalado <b>aye</b>   |
| Micky Steinberg        | <b>aye</b>                       |                                 |

The Chairperson thereupon declared this resolution duly passed and adopted this 12<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2023. 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: Basia Pruna  
Deputy Clerk

Approved by County Attorney as  
to form and legal sufficiency.

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

Melanie J. Spencer