Agenda Report

2725 Judge Fran Jamieson Way Viera, FL 32940



Consent

F.6. 12/19/2023

Subject:

Approval, Re: Resolution Designating a Portion of State Road 518 as "Deputy Sheriff Barbara Ann Pill Memorial Highway" -District 5

Fiscal Impact:

None

Dept/Office:

Public Works Department

Requested Action:

It is requested the Board of County Commissioners approve and authorize the Chair to execute the Resolution authorizing the designation of State Road 518 between Wickham Road and John Rodes Boulevard as the "Deputy Sheriff Barbara Ann Pill Memorial Highway".

Summary Explanation and Background:

Deputy Barbara Pill was killed in the line of duty during a traffic stop made in connection with stolen property on March 6, 2012. Barbara Pill had served the residents of Brevard County for 15 years as a Brevard County Sheriff's Deputy as part of her 30-year law enforcement career. This road designation would be a fitting tribute to her memory.

On January 24, 2023, the Board approved and authorized the Chair to sign a letter of support addressed to Representative Tyler Sirois in support of this road designation. Memorial designations on transportation facilities in Florida are accomplished jointly through an Act of the Florida Legislature and a Resolution from the appropriate local government. Upon official designation by the Florida Legislature, it will be the responsibility of the legislative sponsors of the designation to obtain local Resolutions in accordance with Section 334.071 (3), F.S. Florida Legislature officially designated the referenced portion of SR 518 on July 7, 2023.

Clerk to the Board Instructions:

Please return the fully executed Resolution to the Public Works Department for forwarding to the Florida Department of Transportation.



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December 20, 2023

MEMORANDUM

TO: Marc Bernath, Public Works Director

RE: Item F.6., Approval for Resolution Designating a Portion of State Road 518 as "Deputy

Sheriff Barbara Ann Pill Memorial Highway"

The Board of County Commissioners, in regular session on December 19, 2023, executed and adopted Resolution No. 23-148, authorizing the designation of State Road 518 between Wickham Road and John Rodes Boulevard as the "Deputy Sheriff Barbara Ann Pill Memorial Highway". Enclosed is a fully-executed Resolution.

Your continued cooperation is always appreciated.

Sincerely,

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS RACHEL M. SADOFF, CLERK

Kimberly Powell, Clerk to the Board

/ds

Encl. (1)

RESOLUTION NO. 2023-148

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING DESIGNATION OF THAT PORTION OF STATE ROAD 518 BETWEEN WICKHAM ROAD AND JOHN RODES BOULEVARD IN BREVARD COUNTY AS THE "DEPUTY SHERIFF BARBARA ANN PILL MEMORIAL HIGHWAY" IN HONOR OF DEPUTY BARBARA PILL; AND ERECTION BY THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION OF SUITABLE MARKERS PROCLAIMING SAID DESIGNATION.

Whereas, Barbara Pill served the citizens of Brevard County for 15 years as a Brevard County Sheriff's Deputy and served in the field of law enforcement for 30 years; and

Whereas, Deputy Barbara Pill impacted her community in many ways, by maintaining law and order, protecting members of the community, and aiming to improve the quality of life for the citizens of Brevard County; and

Whereas, on Tuesday, March 6, 2012, Deputy Pill was killed in the line of duty during a traffic stop made in connection with stolen property; and

Whereas, March 6, 2022 marked 10 years since the death of Deputy Pill; and

Whereas, on January 24, 2023, the Board of County Commissioners authorized the Chair sign a Letter of Support addressed to Representative Tyler Sirois designating that portion of State Road 518 between Wickham Road and John Rodes Boulevard in Brevard County as the "Deputy Sheriff Barbara Ann Pill Memorial Highway; and

Whereas, on July 7, 2023, the Legislature of the State of Florida enacted Chapter 2023-317 relating to transportation facility designations, including designation of SR 518 as outlined herein.

Now, therefore, be it resolved by Brevard County:

- The Brevard County Board of County Commissioners ("Board") hereby supports the designation of the above specified portion of State Road 518 as the "Deputy Sheriff Barbara Ann Pill Memorial Highway."
- 2. The Board hereby encourages the Florida Department of Transportation to erect suitable markers for the above-described designation.
- 3. A copy of this Resolution shall be provided to the Florida Department of Transportation.
- 4. This Resolution shall take effect upon the date of its adoption.

DONE AND RESOLVED this 19th day of December, 2023.

ATTEST:

BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA

Rachel Sadoff, Cler

Jason Steele, Chair

As approved by the Board 12/19/2023.