

## RESOLUTION FOR OFFICER TYLER A HERNDON HIGHWAY

**WHEREAS**, Tyler A. Herndon was born in Charlotte, N.C. and moved to Kings Mountain in 1998; and

**WHEREAS**, Herndon attended Kings Mountain High School, graduated from Cleveland Community College and then earned a Criminal Justice Degree from the University of North Carolina at Charlotte; and

**WHEREAS**, Officer Herndon began his law enforcement career with the Mount Holly Police Department in January 2019; and

**WHEREAS**, Officer Herndon formed a strong bond with his co-workers and with people in the community he served; and

**WHEREAS**, Officer Herndon distinguished himself by acts of kindness and community service, reflecting well on Mount Holly and projecting a positive image of the Mount Holly Police Department; and

**WHEREAS**, Officer Herndon was tragically killed in the line of duty responding to a breaking and entering call on December 11, 2020, and

**WHEREAS**, the Mount Holly City Council respectfully requests the North Carolina Department of Transportation to designate a road in memory of Officer Tyler A. Herndon as a way to honor and memorialize his contributions to the citizens of Mount Holly and the State of North Carolina.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:**

That the North Carolina Board of Transportation designates North Carolina Highway 273 from the southern city limits of Mount Holly near Interstate 85 north to the intersection with Morningside Drive the *Officer Tyler A Herndon Highway*.

That appropriate signs will be erected at a suitable time.

Adopted this the 8<sup>th</sup> day of April 2021 by the North Carolina Board of Transportation.

  
Chairman

  
Secretary of Transportation