Approval – Resolution for Deputy Charlie Brown

Whereas, Charles "Charlie" D. Brown, Jr. served his country with dignity and valor as a Lance Corporal in the United States Marine Corps, participating in Operations Desert Shield and Desert Storm; and

Whereas, Charlie Brown served his community as a law enforcement officer for nearly 15 years, serving in both the Williamston Police Department and the Martin County Sheriff's Department; and

Whereas, on December 8, 2009, Deputy Brown met his untimely death at the age of 38 as he was shot and killed in the line of duty while answering a call for service; and

Whereas, the Martin County Board of Commissioners has expressed appreciation to Deputy Brown's family for his exemplary service to his community, state and nation, and his sacrifice for the safety of the residents of Martin County.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved:

That the North Carolina Board of Transportation dedicates the U.S. Highway 64 West flyover ramp that passes over U.S. Highway 17, as the **Deputy Charles Brown, Jr. Bridge.**

That appropriate signs be erected at a suitable time.

Adopted, this the second day of February 2012 by the North Carolina Board of Transportation.

Approval of Agenda

A motion was made by Board Member Perkins, seconded by Board Member Alford to approve the agenda items with corrections and handouts, excluding agenda items C,D,E,H and L, as they are consent items and require no Board action.

Board Members Collier and Collett abstained from voting on specific items.