Approval – Resolution for Deputy James B. Trevathan

Upon a recommendation from the Road Naming Committee a motion was made by Board Member Halsey, which was seconded by Board Member Wall to approve the following resolution:

WHEREAS, Deputy James B.Trevathan was born in Bedford County, Virginia in 1925 and later moved to Surry County; and

WHEREAS, Deputy James B.Trevathan was married to Pauline Deatherage and they raised three children; and

WHEREAS, Deputy James B. Trevathan joined the Surry County Sheriff's Office in 1962; and

WHEREAS, Deputy James B.Trevathan was investigating a call regarding a vehicle hit and run in the Flat Rock community when he attempted a traffic stop which resulted in a vehicle pursuit. The suspect exited his vehicle while shooting; and

WHEREAS, Deputy James B. Trevathan lost his life in the line of duty on June 2, 1963; and

WHEREAS, the Surry County Board of Commissioners and the City of Mount Airy requested the North Carolina Department of Transportation honor Deputy James B. Trevathan for his bravery and the ultimate sacrifice he made to the community.

Now, Therefore, Be IT Resolved:

That the North Carolina Board of Transportation name the bridge on N.C. 103 over Ararat River in Surry County, as the *Deputy James B. Trevathan Bridge*.

That appropriate signs be erected at a suitable time.

Adopted, this the first day of April 2010 by the North Carolina Board of Transportation.