

**Approval – Resolution for Dr. James A. Harrell, Sr.**

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

**WHEREAS**, Dr. James A. Harrell, Sr. graduated from Virginia Commonwealth University School of Dentistry in 1948 to begin a successful practice; and

**WHEREAS**, Dr. James A. Harrell, Sr. was eternally loyal and showed ceaseless dedication while making many contributions to the Town of Elkin; and

**WHEREAS**, Dr. James A. Harrell, Sr. was a true servant of his community through his service as a town commissioner, mayor and chairman of Hugh Chatham Memorial Hospital Foundation along with numerous other positions; and

**WHEREAS**, Dr. James A. Harrell, Sr. has served as chairman of the North Carolina Dental Society; and

**WHEREAS**, The University of North Carolina School of Dentistry honors Dr. Harrell by giving the James A. Harrell, Sr. Citizenship and Leadership Award annually; and

**WHEREAS**, Dr. James A. Harrell, Sr. has and continues to contribute to the needs of others in his community and state; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Elkin recommend a portion of US Highway 21 be named in honor of Dr. James A. Harrell, Sr.

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

That the North Carolina Board of Transportation dedicates the portion of US 21 within the town limits of the Town of Elkin as the ***Dr. James A. Harrell, Sr. Highway.***

That appropriate signs be erected at a suitable time.

Adopted, this the sixth day of December 2012 by the North Carolina Board of Transportation.

  
Chairman

  
Secretary of Transportation