

Approval - Resolution for Dr. Joseph Stephen Hoard, III

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

WHEREAS, Dr. Joseph Stephen Hoard, III was a native and lifelong resident of Tarboro and Edgecombe County; and

WHEREAS, he served in the United States Army in Europe and returned to his hometown in 1965 to practice dentistry for more than 37 years; and

WHEREAS, although he served his community professionally, he was very civic minded, being a member of numerous organizations. He also served two terms on the Tarboro Town Council, as well as being an Edgecombe County Commissioner; and

WHEREAS, he was recognized for outstanding service in dentistry as well as his community. In 1995, Governor Jim Hunt distinguished him a member of the Order of the Long Leaf Pine. He was also a past winner of the Tarboro/Edgecombe Chamber of Commerce's Citizen of the Year award and North Eastern Entrepreneurial Roundtable's Entrepreneur of the Year award; and

WHEREAS, he is remembered as an enthusiastic, compassionate and dedicated husband, father, employer and friend to many; and

WHEREAS, the County of Edgecombe recognizes Dr. Joseph Stephen Hoard, III as an asset to the county and community.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

That the North Carolina Board of Transportation dedicates the bridge on Kingsboro Road over US Highway 64 in Edgecombe County as the ***Dr. Joseph Stephen Hoard, III Bridge***.

That appropriate signs be erected at a suitable time.

Adopted, this the tenth day of January 2013 by the North Carolina Board of Transportation.


Chairman


Secretary of Transportation