

## A RESOLUTION FOR THE DR. WILLIAM A. HOOVER BRIDGE

WHEREAS, the late Dr. William A. Hoover was born in Lincoln County, and was a lifelong resident of the state of North Carolina; and

WHEREAS, Dr. William A. Hoover received his B. S. Degree at Wake Forest University and his medical degree from the University of Maryland; and

WHEREAS, in 1938 Dr. Hoover purchased the Petrie Hospital in Murphy which operated until 1954; and

**WHEREAS**, he was a highly respected surgeon and civic leader in Cherokee County and the surrounding area; and

**WHEREAS**, he contributed to the prosperity of Cherokee County and the state by his many civic activities and memberships on various Boards.

## NOW THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED THAT:

- 1. The bridge on U.S. 19/129 in the Town of Murphy be named the "Dr. William A. Hoover Bridge" in honor of the beloved surgeon and civic leader.
- 2. That the North Carolina Department of Transportation is ordered to erect appropriate signs at a suitable time.

This 7th day of September, 1990.

