

Approval – Resolution for F. Donald Rohrbaugh

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

WHEREAS, F. Donald Rohrbaugh was born on September 9, 1929 and died on November 5, 2009; and

WHEREAS, F. Donald Rohrbaugh received a degree in civil engineering from the University of Tennessee and later retired from the North Carolina Department of Transportation after thirty-four years of service; and

WHEREAS, F. Donald Rohrbaugh was a U.S. Army veteran of the Korean War; a thirty-five year member of the Garner Civitan Club and was an active member of Saint Mary Mother of the Church; and

WHEREAS, F. Donald Rohrbaugh was elected to the Garner Town Board of Aldermen in 1983 until 1989, serving as Mayor Pro Tem from 1987 to 1989, and was elected Mayor in 1991, serving five consecutive terms; and

WHEREAS, F. Donald Rohrbaugh was a dedicated public servant to Wake County and the Town of Garner where he served as a member of the Garner Planning Board, Garner Area School Advisory Council, former chairman of the Wake County Transportation Advisory Committee, member of the I-40 High Occupancy Vehicle Policy Committee, member of the Board of Directors for the League of Municipalities, member of the Wake County Board of Adjustment, co-chair of the Garner Centennial Committee preparing for the town's Centennial Anniversary Celebration; and

WHEREAS, F. Donald Rohrbaugh was presented the Order of the Long Leaf Pine in 2001 by the Governor of North Carolina, which exemplified his extraordinary service to the state; and

WHEREAS, the Garner Town Council requested the North Carolina Department of Transportation honor F. Donald Rohrbaugh for his selfless service and contributions to the community and state.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

That the North Carolina Board of Transportation dedicates the bridge over Mahlers Creek on the Timber Drive Extension in Wake County, as the **F. Donald Rohrbaugh Bridge**.

That appropriate signs be erected at a suitable time.

Adopted, this the first day of December 2011 by the North Carolina Board of Transportation.


Chairman


Secretary of Transportation