

RESOLUTION

NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

RESOLUTION FOR G.R. KINDLEY

WHEREAS, G.R. Kindley was born July 28, 1932, in Randolph County, North Carolina and graduated from Asheboro High School in 1950; and

WHEREAS, G.R. Kindley served on active duty with the United States Army from 1953-1955 and in the active reserve from 1955-1963 reaching the rank of Captain before he was discharged; and

WHEREAS, G.R. Kindley graduated from Law Enforcement School at the Institute of Government in Chapel Hill in 1955; and

WHEREAS, G.R. Kindley was a member of the North Carolina State Highway Patrol in Richmond County for seven years; and

WHEREAS, G.R. Kindley was elected to the Rockingham City Council in January 1966 and as mayor of Rockingham in 1977 where he served for 20 years; and

WHEREAS, G.R. Kindley was appointed to the North Carolina Board of Transportation by Governor James B. Hunt, Jr. in 1993 and has served as vice-chairman of the board since 1997; and

WHEREAS, while serving on the board G.R. Kindley has been instrumental in helping the cities and counties in Division 8 (Chatham, Hoke, Lee, Montgomery, Moore, Randolph, Richmond and Scotland counties) meet their transportation needs, including beginning construction of the U.S. 74 Rockingham - Hamlet Bypass; and

WHEREAS, under his leadership, North Carolina obtained two new interstate highways (Interstate 73 and Interstate 74) designated for the state; and

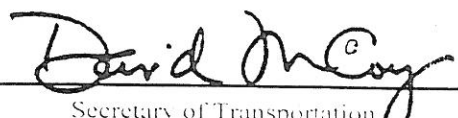
WHEREAS, the Rockingham City Council, the Hamlet City Council and the Richmond County Board of Commissioners have requested the North Carolina Department of Transportation to honor former mayor Kindley.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

That the North Carolina Board of Transportation names the U.S. 74 Rockingham-Hamlet Bypass in honor of former Rockingham Mayor G.R. Kindley for his continued dedication and hard work that has led to a better transportation system for the citizens of Rockingham, Richmond County and the state of North Carolina.

That appropriate signs be erected at a suitable time.

Adopted, this the eighth day of September 2000 by the North Carolina Board of Transportation.


Secretary of Transportation