

RESOLUTION

"H. SMITH WILLIAMS MEMORIAL BRIDGE"

WHEREAS, H. Smith Williams is a native of Yadkin County, North Carolina; and

WHEREAS, In 1952 H. Smith Williams became the youngest practicing attorney in Yadkin County; and

WHEREAS, In 1953, H. Smith Williams became the youngest person to be elected to the North Carolina House of Representatives, subsequently serving 3 terms, and also serving as minority leader; and

WHEREAS, in 1960, H. Smith Williams was appointed a Judge of the Yadkin County Recorders Court and served in this position for 10 years; and

WHEREAS, H. Smith Williams served his community as Yadkin County Attorney, Attorney for Hoots Memorial Hospital and served in various leadership roles in his church; and

WHEREAS, H. Smith Williams is now deceased; and

WHEREAS, H. Smith Williams during his lifetime, made significant contributions to Yadkin County and the State of North Carolina; and

WHEREAS, Board of Transportation Member, Brent Kincaid, who represents Yadkin County on the Board of Transportation, fully supports this recognition of H. Smith Williams.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED AS FOLLOWS:

1. That the new bridge on old US 421 (SR 1605) just west of the intersection of SR 1605 and SR 1509 in Yadkin County be designated the "H. Smith Williams Memorial Bridge."

2. That the Department of Transportation is ordered to erect appropriate signs at a suitable time after completion of construction of the bridge.

This ____ day of March, 1986

James E. Harrington
Secretary of Transportation