

## RESOLUTION FOR HUBERT M. LEONARD

WHEREAS, Hubert M. Leonard is an outstanding citizen of Thomasville and the State of North Carolina; and

WHEREAS, Hubert M. Leonard was elected as Mayor of the City of Thomasville in 1991 and continues to serve in that position; and

WHEREAS, Hubert M. Leonard is an active civic and community leader whose interest in road improvements and traffic safety has led him to make significant contributions to the welfare of the citizens of Thomasville and North Carolina; and

WHEREAS, Hubert M. Leonard has served as President of the Davidson County Mental Health Association, President of Habitat for Humanity-Thomasville Area, Director of the Davidson County Industry Council, Director of the American Red Cross, Chairman of the Board of Lexington State Bank and a participant in Meals on Wheels; and

WHEREAS, Hubert M. Leonard was appointed as Civilian Aide At-Large to the Secretary of the Army and from 1983 through 1985 served as Adjutant General of the North Carolina Army National Guard; and

WHEREAS, Hubert M. Leonard was appointed to the Secretary's Rail Advisory Council in 2001 and as Vice President of the North Carolina League of Municipalities Board of Transportation in 2000; and

WHEREAS, Hubert M. Leonard was instrumental in getting seven railroad crossings closed and building two bridges to carry traffic over the railroad tracks; and

WHEREAS, the Thomasville City Council requested the North Carolina Department of Transportation honor Mayor Leonard for his many contributions to the Thomasville area.

## Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved:

That the North Carolina Board of Transportation names the newly constructed Unity Street Overpass in Thomasville - TIP Project No. U-3335 - the *Hubert M. Leonard Overpass* for his foresight and leadership that has improved safety on the streets of Thomasville and the highways of North Carolina.

That appropriate signs be erected at a suitable time.

Adopted, this the seventh day of November 2002 by the North Carolina Board of Transportation.

Secretary of Transportation