

RESOLUTION FOR LYNDO TIPPETT HIGHWAY

WHEREAS, as a businessman and leader in the community, Lyndo Tippet has been a champion for Cumberland County for many years; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Tippet served as president of the Fayetteville-Cumberland Chamber of Commerce and Chairman of the Public Works Commission (PWC). He was active in getting funding for the Cape Fear Botanical Garden, has been a strong supporter of Methodist University, and was also instrumental in getting the U.S. Army Airborne & Special Operations Museum located downtown instead of at Fort Bragg; and

WHEREAS, Governor Mike Easley appointed Mr. Tippet to be the Secretary of the North Carolina Department of Transportation, where he served with distinction for eight years; and

WHEREAS, prior to his appointment as Secretary of Transportation, Mr. Tippet also served on the North Carolina Board of Transportation representing Division 6, which includes Cumberland County; and

WHEREAS, in gratitude for his service to Cumberland County, particularly for his leadership in enhancing the public transportation system in the state, the Cumberland County Board of Commissioners requests the North Carolina Board of Transportation to name a section of I-295 within Cumberland County in honor of Lyndo Tippet.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

That the North Carolina Board of Transportation names a section of I-295 from I-95 to US-401 in Cumberland County as the *Lyndo Tippet Highway*.

That appropriate signs will be erected at a suitable time.

Adopted this the 2nd day of May 2019 by the North Carolina Board of Transportation.


Chairman


Secretary of Transportation