

September, 1983 Meeting

Approval - Naming of New Bridge Across Dough's Creek in Manteo
the "Cora Mae Daniels Basnight Bridge"

79 Administrator Rose noted our Department has under construction a new bridge across Dough's Creek in Manteo to provide access to the State's new Welcome Center for America's 400th Anniversary celebration of the first English settlement in North America. Mr. Rose advised the Dare County Board of Commissioners and the Town of Manteo have requested this new bridge be named for Cora Mae Daniels Basnight who played the role "Agona" in The Lost Colony for twenty-five years. He recommended the Board concur with these requests.

A motion was made by Board Member Campbell, seconded by Board Member Hollers, and the vote was unanimous to name the new bridge across Dough's Creek in Manteo the "CORA MAE DANIELS BASNIGHT BRIDGE" and authorize the Department to erect an appropriate name plaque at the bridge.

Approval - Naming of New Bridge on US 19 Business over Valley River
in West Andrews the "Margaret Walker Freel Memorial Bridge"

80 Administrator Rose advised our Department has received from the Cherokee County Board of Commissioners and from the Archibald D. Murphey Chapter of NSDAR a request to name the new replacement bridge under construction of US 19 Business in west Andrews in honor of Margaret Walker Freel. He recommended approval.

Accordingly, on a motion by Board Member Davis, seconded by Board Member Harper, the vote was unanimous to approve the name "MARGARET WALKER FREEL MEMORIAL BRIDGE" for the new bridge on US 19 Business over the Valley River in west Andrews in Cherokee County and authorize the Department to erect appropriate signs.