RESOLUTION FOR POTTERY HIGHWAY

WHEREAS, the pottery industry is a unique form of art and business activity centered in a region of Moore and Randolph counties; and

WHEREAS, pottery from approximately 100 shops is sold annually to visitors from around the world, many of whom personally visit these shops; and

WHEREAS, N.C. 705 traverses this area as the main highway for the pottery region; and

WHEREAS, N.C. 705 begins at N.C. 211 in Moore County and ends at Interstate 73/74 in Randolph County; and

WHEREAS, the Moore and Randolph County Boards of Commissioners and the Robbins. Town Board of Commissioners requested the North Carolina Department of Transportation recognize the significance of N.C. 705 in Moore and Randolph counties.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved:



That the North Carolina Board of Transportation names N.C. 705 from N.C. 221 in Moore County to Interstate 73/74 in Randolph County as the *Pottery Highway* in recognition of the unique form of art and business activity centered along its route in Moore and Randolph counties.

That appropriate signs be erected at a suitable time.

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

Secretary of Transportation