

## RESOLUTION FOR S. THOMAS RHODES

WHEREAS, S. Thomas Rhodes is a native of New Hanover County and received his early education in the public school system of Wilmington; and

WHEREAS, S. Thomas Rhodes completed undergraduate studies at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and received a masters degree from Auburn University; and

WHEREAS, S. Thomas Rhodes was elected to the North Carolina House of Representatives; and

WHEREAS, S. Thomas Rhodes served the citizens of Wilmington for over sixteen years and was active in numerous civic organizations; and

WHEREAS, S. Thomas Rhodes worked on behalf of the citizens of North Carolina and served as Secretary of the Department of Natural Resources and Community Development, as a member of the North Carolina Board of Transportation and as Deputy Secretary of the North Carolina Department of Transportation; and

WHEREAS, S. Thomas Rhodes during his tenure worked to ensure the citizens of New Hanover County and the surrounding counties received a fair share of limited government resources which included the funding for several bridges over the Cape Fear River; and

WHEREAS, the New Hanover County Board of Commissioners honored S. Thomas Rhodes for his services to the state and the community in a resolution passed unanimously on October 5, 1992.

### NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

That the bridge over the Cape Fear River on U.S. 421 be named in honor of S. Thomas Rhodes for his service to New Hanover County and to the state of North Carolina.

That the North Carolina Department of Transportation erect appropriate signs for such a dedication.

This the fourth day of December 1992.

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Secretary of Transportation