

## RESOLUTION FOR THE LATE THOMAS A. BURTON

WHEREAS, the late Thomas A. Burton was a native of Madison in Rockingham County, N.C.; and

WHEREAS, Thomas A. Burton joined the North Carolina Highway Commission in 1921 and retired as Division Engineer in 1967; and

WHEREAS, Thomas A. Burton served twenty terms on the Madison Board of Aldermen from 1933 to 1973 and was the first chairman of the Madison Recreation Commission; and

WHEREAS, Thomas A. Burton invested innumerable hours in making Rockingham County and the Piedmont a better place to live through his participation in the civic and business life of his community as well as through his devotion to improving the highways and rural roads of the area in which he lived and worked.

## NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

That U.S. 220 North from N.C. 68 to the Virginia State line be named the "Thomas A. Burton Highway" for his dedicated service to the citizens of Rockingham County and the State of North Carolina.

That the North Carolina Department of Transportation erect appropriate signs at a suitable time.

This the fourth day of March 1994.

Secretary of Transportation