

RESOLUTION FOR SENATOR CHARLES W ALBERTSON HIGHWAY

WHEREAS, N.C. State Senator Charles W. Albertson is Duplin County's longest serving member of the North Carolina General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, Senator Albertson enhanced the civic growth and cultural identity of Duplin County by securing more than \$1 million for the construction of the Duplin County Events Center; and

WHEREAS, Senator Albertson in 2004 received North Carolina State University's Distinguished Service Award for his contributions to North Carolina's agriculture and agribusiness community; and

WHEREAS, Senator Albertson in 2005 received The Governor's Award as Legislator of the Year from the North Carolina Wildlife Federation; and

WHEREAS, Senator Albertson is also a singer and songwriter, and during his career has received two Certificates of Esteem from the United States Defense Department for entertaining U.S. troops serving in 26 foreign countries; and

WHEREAS, the Duplin County Board of Commissioners requests the North Carolina Board of Transportation name Interstate 40 from one mile east of Exit 373 to one mile west of Exit 373 in honor of Senator Albertson.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

That the North Carolina Board of Transportation names I-40 from one mile east of Exit 373 to one mile west of Exit 373 in Duplin County as the *Senator Charles W Albertson Highway*.

That appropriate signs will be erected at a suitable time.

Adopted this the 5th day of December 2019 by the North Carolina Board of Transportation.

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Secretary of Transportation