

PROPOSED

RESOLUTION NO. 2021-

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA, DESIGNATING A PORTION OF NW SIXTH COURT IN THE BROWARD MUNICIPAL SERVICES DISTRICT ("COUNTY ROAD") IN HONOR OF JUDGE ZEBEDEE WRIGHT AND DR. KATHLEEN C. WRIGHT; DIRECTING THE COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR TO TAKE ANY NECESSARY ACTIONS TO EFFECTUATE THE RENAMING OF THE COUNTY ROAD; DIRECTING THE COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR TO PROVIDE A COPY OF THIS RESOLUTION TO THE OFFICIALS DESIGNATED HEREIN; AND PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

(Sponsored by Commissioner Barbara Sharief)

WHEREAS, Judge Zebedee Wright ("Judge Wright") has made numerous significant contributions to the County, including as a civil rights attorney and Broward County Court Judge;

WHEREAS, Dr. Kathleen C. Wright ("Dr. Wright") was a champion of education and made history as the first African-American woman to win a countywide election in the State of Florida, the first African-American woman in the state to serve on a school board, and the first African-American member of The School Board of Broward County;

WHEREAS, that portion of NW 6th Court from NW 27th Avenue to NW 31st Avenue is a County-owned road located in the Broward Municipal Services District ("County Road");

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 336.05, Florida Statutes, the Board of County Commissioners ("Board") is authorized to name and rename County-owned streets and roads;

1 WHEREAS, Section 18.43 of the Broward County Administrative Code
2 (“Administrative Code”) sets out the policy of the Board for naming property owned by
3 Broward County (“County”);

4 WHEREAS, on April 20, 2021 (Board Agenda Item No. 38), the Board (1) provided
5 notice on the record that the Board would consider the proposed designation of the
6 County Road in honor of Judge Wright and Dr. Wright, as required by Section 18.43(h) of
7 the Administrative Code; (2) waived Section 18.43(c) of the Administrative Code, which
8 provides that property owned by the County should not be named after living persons, in
9 order to rename the County Road after Judge Wright, a living person; and (3) directed the
10 County Administrator to solicit the input of at least three local municipalities, homeowners’
11 associations, or community groups of the Board’s proposed renaming of the County
12 Road, which correspondence is attached hereto as Attachment 1; and

13 WHEREAS, in recognition of the contributions of Judge Wright and Dr. Wright, the
14 Board desires to designate the County Road in honor of Judge Wright and Dr. Wright,
15 NOW, THEREFORE,

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17 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF
18 BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA:

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20 Section 1. The Board hereby renames the County Road in honor of
21 Judge Wright and Dr. Wright. In accordance with Section 18.43(g) of the Administrative
22 Code, the current name of the County Road shall be retained as a secondary designation.

23 Section 2. The Board directs the County Administrator, as Clerk of the Board,
24 to transmit a copy of this Resolution to the United States Postal Service, the Broward



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April 23, 2021

Alverine Brihm, President
Washington Park Civic Association
2981 NW 6 Court
Fort Lauderdale, FL 33311

RE: Proposed Street Renaming

Dear Ms. Brihm:

The Board of County Commissioners is considering renaming a street in the Broward Municipal Services District (BMSD) in the Washington Park community. The Board will hold a Public Hearing on Tuesday, June 1, 2021, at 10 a.m.

You are invited to attend a virtual meeting on **Monday, May 3, 2021 at 6:30 p.m.** to learn more about the proposed street name designation on NW 6th Court (between NW 27th and NW 31st Avenues), which is proposed to be named in honor of Judge Zebedee and Dr. Kathleen Wright.

Please join from the Webex meeting link: <https://bit.ly/3xeZdjG>

Meeting number (access code): 185 224 2507

Meeting password: 0503

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 954-357-6602 or by email jsesodia@broward.org.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Josie P. Sesodia".

Josie P. Sesodia, AICP
Director

Attachment: location map



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Marquis Curry, Chairman
Central County Community Advisory Board
1 North University Drive, Box 102
Plantation, FL 33324

RE: Proposed Street Renaming

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Chris Lagerbloom, City Manager
City of Fort Lauderdale
100 North Andrews Avenue
Fort Lauderdale, FL 33301

RE: Proposed Street Renaming

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CC: Ella Parker, Urban Design & Planning Manager, City of Fort Lauderdale



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April 23, 2021

Desorae Giles-Smith, Manager
City of Lauderhill
5581 W. Oakland Park Blvd.
Lauderhill, FL 33313

RE: Proposed Street Renaming

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CC: Chris Torres, City Planner, City of Lauderhill