

RESOLUTION FOR CHUCK ALLEN HIGHWAY

WHEREAS, Chuck Allen graduated from Goldsboro High School in 1979 and from North Carolina State University in 1985; and

WHEREAS, Allen and his wife, Lori, raised their three children in his hometown of Goldsboro, North Carolina; and

WHEREAS, Allen distinguished himself in the City of Goldsboro through his business and volunteer work; and began his public service on the Goldsboro City Council in 1999; and

WHEREAS, Allen's greatest passion has been serving the citizens of the City of Goldsboro, serving as chairman of numerous boards and commissions, such as the Wayne County Development Alliance, Goldsboro Metropolitan Organization and was an appointee to the NC Military Affairs Commission, board member of the Wayne County Chamber of Commerce and founding member of the Highway 70 Corridor Commission; and

WHEREAS, Allen continued his service and was elected mayor of Goldsboro in 2016; and

WHEREAS, Allen's vision and leadership have been instrumental for the Highway 70 Corridor Commission that will bring an interstate through eastern North Carolina to the port in Morehead City; and

WHEREAS, This critical transportation facility, Future Interstate 42, will help the entire region prosper, maintain and improve our citizens' quality of life; and

WHEREAS, the Wayne County Board of Commissioners and the Goldsboro City Council desire to honor public servant Chuck Allen by honorarily designating a portion of the US 70 Bypass (Future Interstate 42) for him; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

That the North Carolina Board of Transportation honorarily designates US 70 Bypass (Future Interstate 42) from US 13 (North Berkeley Boulevard) to SR 1719 (North Beston Road) as the *Chuck Allen Highway*.

That appropriate signs will be erected at a suitable time.

Adopted this the 6th day of May 2021 by the North Carolina Board of Transportation.


Chairman


Secretary of Transportation