

STATE OF GEORGIA
COUNTY OF CLAYTON

RESOLUTION NO. 2008 - 105

A RESOLUTION ADOPTING A POLICY GOVERNING THE PLACEMENT OF MEMORIALS ON COUNTY ROADWAYS AS THE POLICY OF CLAYTON COUNTY, GEORGIA; TO PROVIDE AN EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS RESOLUTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners deems it in the best interest of Clayton County to adopt a Memorial Sign Policy to govern the placement of signs on County roadways; and

WHEREAS, a memorial sign can be placed beside the road with an unveiling ceremony led by a local minister, the County Commissioner for that district, or the Commission Chairman; and

WHEREAS, a small replica sign can be made by the Transportation & Development Department for presentation to the family at the ceremony; and

WHEREAS, no memorial monument will be allowed on County road right-of-way and are limited to signs meeting the approval of the Director of the Department of Transportation & Development; and

WHEREAS, the memorial sign does not constitute an official road name change; and

WHEREAS, the memorial sign is authorized to be placed on the public right-of-way for one (1) year at a location approved by the Director of Transportation & Development; and

WHEREAS, the memorial sign(s) will be removed by the Transportation & Development Department at the end of one (1) year, with the removed sign being offered to the family at that time; and

WHEREAS, in addition to the roadside memorial, at the District Commissioners' discretion, the Commissioner can also designate an existing garden at a memorial garden within one of the District Commissioners' district parks; and

WHEREAS, memorial signs placed on any County property, including road right-of-way, are limited to those individuals killed in the military in the line of duty.

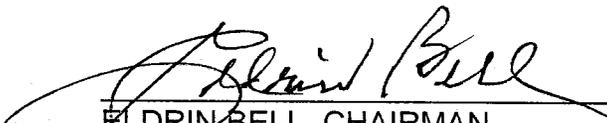
NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF CLAYTON COUNTY, GEORGIA AND IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED

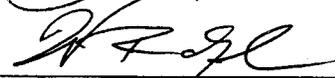
Section 1. The Board of Commissioners hereby adopts the Memorial Sign Policy, as the Memorial Sign Policy for Clayton County, attached as Exhibit "A".

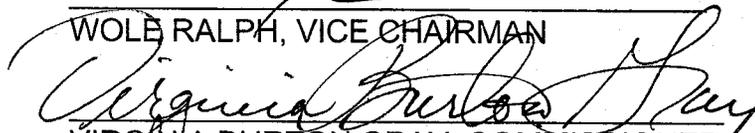
Section 2. This Resolution shall be effective on the date of its approval by the Board of Commissioners.

SO RESOLVED, this the 17th day of June, 2008.

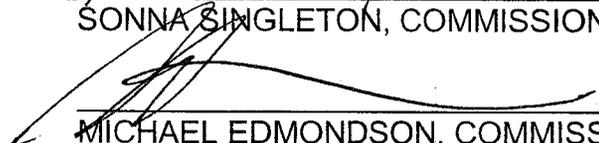
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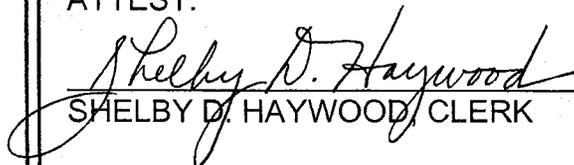

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