

RESOLUTION NO.: R-2021-048

Approving the Honorary Naming of the northeastern corner of the intersection of Colonial Drive and Standish Street "Bill Shives Way"

WHEREAS, William W. "Bill" Shives was born and raised in Lincolnton, North Carolina; and,

WHEREAS, Mr. Shives grew up working with a friend and his parents at Warlick Funeral Home in Lincolnton, North Carolina. He was drafted into the United States Army while attending the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, and went through basic training at Fort Jackson in Columbia, South Carolina. After the Korean Conflict, Mr. Shives attended and graduated from the Cincinnati College of Mortuary Science and moved to Columbia to attend the University of South Carolina where he received a Bachelor of Science Degree in Business Administration; and,

WHEREAS, in 1967, Mr. Shives purchased Talbert Funeral Home and operated it as Talbert Shives Funeral Home until his retirement in 1999; and,

WHEREAS, Mr. Shives is known for always giving his full attention to everyone he assisted and treating them with the upmost respect, making a difficult experience easier on families; and,

WHEREAS, Mr. Shives is a member of Trinity United Methodist Church and has served on the South Carolina Board of Funeral Service, the Transplantation Committee of the American Red Cross for the Southeastern United States, Washington Street United Methodist Church Administration Board, the advisory board of Transport for Christ, member of Blythewood Rotary Club, The Colonel Thomas Taylor Chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution, and The American Legion Post #6; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED this 20th day of April, 2021, that the Mayor and City Council of the City of Columbia hereby approve the honorary naming of the northeastern corner of the intersection of Colonial Drive and Standish Street "Bill Shives Way." The design and color of the honorary signs shall be subject to the approval of the Director of Public Works.

Requested by:

Mayor Benjamin _____



Mayor

Approved by:

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City Manager

Approved as to form:

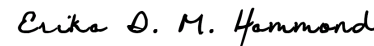
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City Attorney

Introduced: 4/20/2021

Final Reading: 4/20/2021

ATTEST:

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City Clerk

Bill Shives^{Way}