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A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING FLORIDA SENATE BILL 1738, SECTION 6, AND THE COMPANION FLORIDA HOUSE BILL 791, SECTION 6, WHICH DESIGNATES A PORTION OF FIRST COAST HIGHWAY IN NASSAU COUNTY, BEGINNING AT BURNEY ROAD AND CONTINUING NORTH THROUGH THE 5500 BLOCK OF FIRST COAST HIGHWAY AS "MS. MAVYNEE 'THE BEACH LADY' BETSCH HIGHWAY" AND THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO ERECT SUITABLE MARKERS DESIGNATING "MS. MAVYNEE 'THE BEACH LADY' BETSCH HIGHWAY" AS DESCRIBED.

WHEREAS, Nassau County was truly enriched by the "Beach Lady", and all that she represented; and

WHEREAS, her razor-sharp intelligence and her passion and love for American Beach changed thoughts and opinions regarding this valuable asset; and

WHEREAS, she truly gave 100% of herself to her community and her causes and earned the respect of those on both sides of issues; and

WHEREAS, few people have the passion, compassion, and true love for their community and fellow man that the Beach Lady had; and

WHEREAS, she was the American Beach champion and truly changed American Beach and saved it for generations to come; and

WHEREAS Mavynee "The Beach Lady" Betsch will always remain very much alive in the memories of those who loved, respected, and treasured her.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED this <u>13th</u> day of March, 2006, by the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida, as follows:

The Board of County Commissioners unanimously supports

Florida Senate Bill 1738, Section 6, and the companion

Florida House Bill 791, Section 6, which designates a

portion of the First Coast Highway in Nassau County,

beginning at Burney Road and continuing north through the

5500 block of First Coast Highway as "Ms. MaVynee 'The

Beach Lady' Betsch Highway" and directs the Florida

Department of Transportation to erect suitable markers

designating "Ms. MaVynee 'The Beach Lady' Betsch Highway"

as described.

The Board also requests that these Bills become effective on July 1, 2006.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA

THOMAS D. BRANAN, JR.

Its: Chairman

ATTEST:

JOHN A. CRAWFORD

Its/ Ex-Officio Clerk

Approved as to form by the Nassau County Attorney

MICHAEL S. MULLIN

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