



CITY OF DORAL COUNCIL MEETING MEMORANDUM MAYOR AND COUNCIL

ITEM TITLE:

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DORAL, FLORIDA, APPROVING THE CO-DESIGNATION OF NW 117 AVENUE, FROM NW 34 STREET AND NW 25 STREET AS "FATHER ELKIN SIERRA WAY"; PROVIDING FOR IMPLEMENTATION; PROVIDING FOR INCORPORATION OF RECITALS; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

BRIEF HISTORY:

The City of Doral (the "City"), Code, Chapter 38, Article III, provides for the exclusive method for the co-designation of City streets.

Father Elkin Sierra, was a devoted priest of the Archdiocese of Miami, who served a great part of his ministry at Our Lady of Guadalupe Church, located in the City. Prior to entering the priesthood, Father Sierra dedicated himself to saving lives and protecting the community as a Miami Dade County firefighter, paramedic and public information officer.

Father Sierra passed away on April 11, 2023. Based on Father Sierra's extraordinary life, on May 5, 2026, Miami-Dade County passed Resolution R-409-26, which urges the City of Doral to co-designate N.W. 117th Avenue, from N.W. 34th Street and N.W. 25th Street as "Father Elkin Sierra Way."

Where the City has from time-to-time recognized extraordinary individuals like Father Sierra, whose work has left an unmistakable mark on the City and its residents.

FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT:

The proposed item has a fiscal impact on revenues and/or expenditures in the amount of:

- \$50,000.00 or less
 \$50,000.00 or more

RECOMMENDATION:

I encourage my fellow councilmembers to support this resolution and co-designate N.W. 117th Avenue, from N.W. 34th Street and N.W. 25th Street as "Father Elkin Sierra Way."

ATTACHMENT(S):

- A. County Resolution