

RESOLUTION NO. 2022 – 3971

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MIAMI SPRINGS, FLORIDA, CO-DESIGNATING A PORTION OF SWAN DRIVE BETWEEN ALBATROSS STREET AND CARDINAL STREET AS “JAKE CASIANO DRIVE”; PROVIDING FOR AUTHORIZATION; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Miami Springs (the “City”) Council hereby seeks to recognize and honor Jake William Casiano (“Jake”); and

WHEREAS, Jake was a City resident, born December 10, 2009 to Cindy and Christopher Casiano, one of three boys; and

WHEREAS, Jake was described as intelligent, joyous, happy, kind and compassionate, filling any room with laughter; and

WHEREAS, in June 2018, Jake was diagnosed with leukemia and, after a courageous three-year battle with the disease, on May 8, 2021, Jake succumbed to his diagnosis; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has determined that it is proper and appropriate to recognize and memorialize Jake Casiano by designating the portion of Swan Drive between Albatross Street and Cardinal Street as “Jake Casiano Drive”; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that this Resolution is in the best interest and welfare of the residents of the City.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MIAMI SPRINGS, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Recitals. That the above recitals are confirmed, adopted, and incorporated herein and made a part hereof by reference.

Section 2. Co-Designation. The City Council hereby approves the co-designation of the portion of Swan Drive between Albatross Street and Cardinal Street as “Jake Casiano Drive” as shown on Exhibit “A” attached hereto.

Section 3. Authorization. The City Council authorizes the City Manager to take all actions necessary to implement this Resolution. The City Manager is authorized to place the appropriate signage or markers along the designated area.

Section 4. Effective Date. That this Resolution shall be effective immediately upon adoption.

The foregoing Resolution was offered by Councilman Vazquez who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Councilman Best and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Vice Mayor Jacky Bravo	<u>YES</u>
Councilman Bob Best	<u>YES</u>
Councilman Dr. Walter Fajet	<u>YES</u>
Councilman Dr. Victor Vazquez	<u>YES</u>
Mayor Maria Puente Mitchell	<u>YES</u>

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 24th day of January, 2022.



MARIA PUENTE MITCHELL
MAYOR

ATTEST:



ERIKA GONZALEZ, MMC
CITY CLERK



APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY
FOR THE USE AND RELIANCE OF THE CITY OF MIAMI SPRINGS ONLY:



WEISS SEROTA HELFMAN COLE & BIERMANN, P.L.
CITY ATTORNEY

