

PROPOSED RESOLUTION NO. 23 -2021

A RESOLUTION TO CEREMONIALLY DESIGNATE A PORTION OF THE COUNTY ROAD KNOWN AS UNIONDALE AVENUE FROM THE INTERSECTION OF HENRY STREET TO THE INTERSECTION OF HEMPSTEAD BOULEVARD TO BE KNOWN AS “JOMANI ‘JO-JO’ WRIGHT WAY”, AND DIRECTING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS TO INSTALL CONSPICUOUS SIGNAGE ALONG SAID ROADWAY

WHEREAS, County Executive Laura Curran and the Legislature of the County of Nassau wish to honor the memory of All-Long Island basketball star Jomani “Jo-Jo” Wright for the character and leadership he demonstrated both on the court and in the classroom as a student at Uniondale High School, and

WHEREAS, it would be a fitting tribute to Jo-Jo to ceremonially designate a portion of the County Road known as Uniondale Avenue from the intersection of Henry Street to Hempstead Boulevard to be known as “Jomani ‘Jo-Jo’ Wright Way”; and

WHEREAS, said ceremonial designation is hereby declared a public purpose; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the portion of the County Road known as Uniondale Avenue from the intersection of Henry Street to the intersection of Hempstead Boulevard shall hereafter be ceremonially designated as “Jomani ‘Jo-Jo’ Wright Way”; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Department of Public Works is directed to install conspicuous signage along the length of the roadway so ceremonially designating the road “Jomani ‘Jo-Jo’ Wright Way”, and all County agencies and departments are directed to take steps to effectuate this ceremonial designation with signage; and be it further

RESOLVED, that such ceremonial designation shall not be construed to change the official name of the roadway from Uniondale Avenue.

