

## RESOLUTION FOR SEDDON "RUSTY" GOODE, JR.

WHEREAS, transportation issues have a major impact on the potential for economic development in Mecklenburg County; and

WHEREAS, state funding for transportation improvements is set by the North Carolina Board of Transportation; and

WHEREAS, Seddon "Rusty" Goode, Jr. ably served on the Board of Transportation for more than ten years, sponsoring many proposals which have benefited the citizens and businesses of the greater Charlotte-Mecklenburg County area; and

WHEREAS, Seddon "Rusty" Goode, Jr. has vigorously promoted Charlotte and Mecklenburg County in his role as President of the University Research Park, helping to attract new business and industry to the area; and

WHEREAS, Seddon "Rusty" Goode, Jr. has been a strong advocate of interests of his community and the state of North Carolina; and

WHEREAS, the Charlotte City Council and the Mecklenburg County Board of Commissioners have adopted resolutions requesting Seddon "Rusty" Goode, Jr. be honored.

## Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved:

That the North Carolina Board of Transportation name Interstate 485 from Interstate 77 to Interstate 85 west and north of Charlotte the *Seddon* "Rusty" Goode, Jr. Highway for his many years of dedicated service to his city, county and state.

That appropriate signs be erected at a suitable time.

Adopted, this the seventh day of March 1997, by the North Carolina Board of Transportation.

Secretary of Transportation