



**CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE  
City Commission Agenda Memo  
REGULAR MEETING**

**#15-0513**

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**TO:** Honorable Mayor & Members of the  
Fort Lauderdale City Commission

**FROM:** Lee R. Feldman, ICMA-CM, City Manager

**DATE:** August 18, 2015

**TITLE:** Resolution Approving the Street Name Addition of Mansur Place to a  
Section of NE 14<sup>th</sup> Street

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**Recommendation**

It is recommended that the City Commission adopt a resolution approving the street name addition of Mansur Place to a section of NE 14<sup>th</sup> Street between NE 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue and NE 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue/Flying L Avenue (Exhibit 1).

**Background**

The City received a request from Insight for the Blind to add the name Mansur Place to a section of NE 14<sup>th</sup> Street between NE 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue and NE 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue/Flying L Avenue in honor of Caroline and Ted Mansur, founders of Insight for the Blind. This non-profit corporation has provided audio books and magazines to over a million blind or visually impaired people living in the south Florida community as well as throughout Florida and across the country. Mrs. Mansur passed away September 2013 but her legacy continues each-and-every day. This request is supported by letters from Insight for the Blind (Exhibit 2), All Year Cooling (Exhibit 3), and South Middle River Civic Association (Exhibit 4).

Upon City Commission approval, Broward County Traffic Engineering Division (BCTED) will install street name signs reflecting the street name addition, at no expense to the City. The primary street name will remain NE 14<sup>th</sup> Street and Mansur Place will be displayed as the secondary street name. Insight for the Blind has agreed to fund all costs associated with the street name addition, which would be consistent with the City's street naming policy. Typically, it has taken BCTED approximately four to six weeks to have new street signs fabricated and installed after receiving the City's resolution (Exhibit 5).

This action further directs staff to submit a request to BCTED to implement the necessary street name change on the affected roadway segment.

**Resource Impact**

There is no fiscal impact associated with this action.

**Strategic Connections**

This item advances the *Fast Forward Fort Lauderdale 2035 Vision Plan: We are Community*.

**Attachments:**

Exhibit 1 - Location Map

Exhibit 2 - Letter from Insight for the Blind

Exhibit 3 - Letter from All Year Cooling

Exhibit 4 - Letter from South Middle River Civic Association

Exhibit 5 - Application for Mansur Street

Exhibit 6 - Resolution

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