

RESOLUTION NO. 17-

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA, APPROVING THE NAMING OF THE BUILDING COMMONLY KNOWN AS "SOUTH SIDE SCHOOL" TO "SOUTH SIDE COMMUNITY AND CULTURAL ARTS CENTER", AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the South Side School, located at 701 S Andrews Ave, is a historic school which originally opened its doors in 1922; and

WHEREAS, in 2004, the City of Fort Lauderdale ("the City") acquired the building; and

WHEREAS, the City is working to renovate the building which will house administrative staff from the Parks and Recreation Department as well as serve as a cultural arts facility, offering a variety of cultural arts programs and events for all generations of the community; and

WHEREAS, City staff has been in discussion with Friends of South Side and Tarpon River Homeowners Association (HOA) to formalize a name for the current South Side School building; and

WHEREAS, the Parks, Recreation, & Beaches Board of the City of Fort Lauderdale, during its monthly meeting on June 28, 2017, voted in favor of the majority 6 to 4 in support of the naming of the building;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA:

SECTION 1. That the City Commission of the City of Fort Lauderdale hereby declares that the building located at 701 S Andrews Avenue, commonly known as "South Side School", shall be named to "South Side Community and Cultural Arts Center".

SECTION 2. That this Resolution shall be in full force and effect upon final passage.

ADOPTED this the _____ day of _____, 2017.

Mayor
JOHN P. "JACK" SEILER

ATTEST:

City Clerk
JEFFREY A. MODARELLI