

**RESOLUTION NO. 2022-R-67**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL  
OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA,  
DESIGNATING N.E. 144<sup>th</sup> STREET FROM N.E. 18<sup>th</sup>  
AVENUE TO N.E. 19<sup>th</sup> AVENUE TO BE KNOWN AS  
“ROGER A. WINGERTER STREET”; AUTHORIZING THE  
CITY MANAGER TO ALLOCATE AND EXPAND THE  
NECESSARY FUNDS TO COVER THE COSTS FOR  
SIGNAGE, AND DO ALL THINGS NECESSARY TO  
EFFECTUATE THE DESIGNATION; PROVIDING FOR AN  
EFFECTIVE DATE AND ALL OTHER PURPOSES.**

**WHEREAS**, Roger A. Wingerter (4/23/39-4/7/21) was a longtime resident of North Miami, growing up in the City of North Miami (“City”) as the son of Rose and George Wingerter; and

**WHEREAS**, Roger A. Wingerter worked for and later took over his father’s engineering and testing firm named Wingerter Laboratories, Inc. that was founded in January 1949 in the City of North Miami as a Construction Materials Engineering Testing Laboratory to provide quality testing services for the construction industry in the South Florida; and

**WHEREAS**, as president of the company, Roger mentored countless employees and students by having an open lab policy, hosting field trips and being an adjunct professor at University of Miami and Miami-Dade College; and

**WHEREAS**, Roger was a member of Rotary International and served as President of both the North Dade-North Miami Club and Rotary Club of Miami; and

**WHEREAS**, Roger A. Wingerter was an active in the North Miami community serving on the North Miami Industrial Development Board from 1984 to 1999, the North Miami Mayor’s Task Force 1982-1986, also sponsored multiple floats for the Winternational Parade and assisted Penny Valentine in the production of the North Miami Pageant; and

**WHEREAS**, Roger A. Wingerter was a member of the South Florida Building Officials Council and served on the advisory committee in the development of the South Florida Building Code; and

**WHEREAS**, Roger A. Wingerter was chairman of the board for The North Dade YMCA,

raising thousands of dollars for the youth from the North Miami area; and

**WHEREAS**, Roger was also active in the South Florida construction industry serving as a founding member of CMEC (Construction Material Engineering Council), Florida Concrete Products Association and local ACI chapter, the American Society for Testing and Materials, and the Metropolitan Dade County Industrial Development Authority; and

**WHEREAS**, in 1984, the City of North Miami issued the Gold Key Award to Roger A. Wingerter; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of North Miami and the North Miami Jaycees also presented Roger A. Wingerter with the Outstanding Volunteer Award for Outstanding Community Service to North Miami; and

**WHEREAS**, Roger A. Wingerter was a 33<sup>rd</sup> Degree Mason serving at the North Miami Lodge from 1970 to 2021; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and City Council desire to authorize the City Manager to allocate and expend the necessary funds to cover the costs of any and all signs to indicate the designation of said street as “ROGER A. WINGERTER STREET.”

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT DULY RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA:**

**Section 1. Approval of Street Designation.** The Mayor and City Council of the City of North Miami, Florida, hereby designate N.E. 144<sup>th</sup> Street from N.E. 18<sup>th</sup> Avenue to N.W. 19<sup>th</sup> Avenue to be known as “ROGER A. WINGERTER STREET.”

**Section 2. Authorization of City Manager.** The Mayor and City Council of the City of North Miami, Florida hereby authorize the City Manager to allocate and expend the necessary funds to cover the costs for signage, and do all things necessary to effectuate the designation.

**Section 3. Effective Date.** This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by a 4-0 vote of the Mayor and City Council of the City of North Miami, Florida, this 24th day of May, 2022.

*Philippe Bien-Aime*  
PHILIPPE BIEN-AIME  
MAYOR

ATTEST:

*V.J.*  
VANESSA JOSEPH, ESQ.  
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM  
AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:

*J.P. Cazeau*  
JEFF P. H. CAZEAU, ESQ.  
CITY ATTORNEY

SPONSORED BY: COUNCILMAN SCOTT GALVIN

Moved by: Galvin

Seconded by: Timothe

**Vote:**

Mayor Philippe Bien-Aime  
Vice Mayor Alix Desulme, Ed.D.  
Councilman Scott Galvin  
Councilwoman Kassandra Timothe, MPA  
Councilwoman Mary Estimé-Irvin

(Yes)  (No)  
 (Yes)  (No)  
 (Yes)  (No)  
 (Yes)  (No)  
 (Yes)  (No) Absent