

RESOLUTION FOR SAM HUNT

WHEREAS, Sam Hunt, an Alamance County native, served the citizens of this state as a member of the N.C. House of Representatives from 1985 to 1992, as Secretary of the Department of Transportation from 1993 to 1995, and currently as President of the North Carolina Railroad; and

WHEREAS, Sam Hunt has been a civic leader in Alamance County through his service as past Director of the Alamance County Chamber of Commerce, former board member of the Burlington YMCA, and board member of First Union National Bank in Burlington, and as a business leader through his companies Hunt Electric Supply and Atlas Electric Corporation; and

WHEREAS, Sam Hunt was appointed to the Highway Study Commission during the 1987 legislative session, which recommended the Highway Trust Fund legislation. He sponsored the 65 mph legislation. He co-sponsored the Highway Trust Fund Bill and was co-chairman of the House Conference Committee on that legislation during the 1989 session. He was co-chairman of the joint Legislative Highway Oversight Committee during the 1991 session. He sponsored the bill for increased penalty for speeding in work zones; and

WHEREAS, Sam Hunt brought good business sense, legislative savvy and strong management skills to the post of Secretary of Transportation, where he formulated the Transportation 2001 plan which accelerates construction of key economic development corridors, eliminates the maintenance backlog and boosts public transportation throughout the state; and

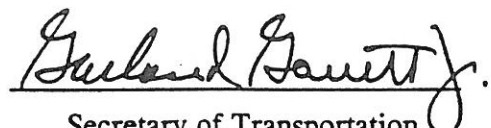
WHEREAS, Alamance County elected officials have signed a resolution to name a section of Interstate 85/40 in Alamance County for Sam Hunt.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

That the North Carolina Board of Transportation name Interstate 85/40 from the Guilford County line to one mile east of N.C. 54 in Graham in Alamance County the *Sam Hunt Freeway*.

That appropriate signs be erected at the suitable time.

Adopted, this fifth day of September 1997, by the North Carolina Board of Transportation.


Secretary of Transportation

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NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION