

RESOLUTION R-20-129

A RESOLUTION OF THE MANATEE COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS SUPPORTING THE FLORIDA LEGISLATURE'S DESIGNATION OF THE ROUNDABOUT INTERSECTION OF STATE ROAD 64 AND POPE ROAD/ GREYHAWK BOULEVARD AS THE CHASE COYNER AND MATTHEW POWERS MEMORIAL ROUNDABOUT.

WHEREAS, the 2020 Florida Legislature has acted to designate, upon the completion of construction, the roundabout at State Road 64 and Pope Road/Greyhawk Boulevard in Manatee County as the "Chase Coyner and Matthew Powers Memorial Roundabout"; and

WHEREAS, Section 334.071, Florida Statutes, provides that when the Legislature designates a transportation facility for honorary or memorial purposes, the Florida Department of Transportation is required to place markers for the specified highway segment; and

WHEREAS, Section 334.071(3), Florida Statutes, provides that a city or county must pass a resolution in support of a particular honorary designation before the Florida Department of Transportation places the road markers; and

WHEREAS, on September 15, 2018, Chase Coyner, age 17, and Matthew Powers, age 15, lost their lives in a car crash at the intersection of State Road 64 and Greyhawk Boulevard on their way to homecoming at Lakewood Ranch High School.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MANATEE COUNTY, FLORIDA, THAT:

Section 1. Manatee County supports the Florida Legislature's designation of the roundabout intersection of State Road 64 and Pope Road/Greyhawk Boulevard as the "Chase Coyner and Matthew Powers Memorial Roundabout."

Section 2. This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

DULY ADOPTED with a quorum present and voting this ___ day of _____, 2020.

**MANATEE COUNTY, FLORIDA,
a political subdivision of the State of Florida**

By: _____

Chairperson

Date: _____

ATTEST: ANGELINA COLONNESO
CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT AND COMPTROLLER

By: _____

Deputy Clerk