

RESOLUTION NO. R2011-7

A RESOLUTION HONORING HERSHEL DICK FOR HIS MANY YEARS
OF SERVICE TO THE CITIZENS OF THE TOWN OF SIGNAL MOUNTAIN.

WHEREAS, Hershel Dick was born and reared in the Pocket Community in Marion County; and,

WHEREAS, Hershel Dick began working part-time for the Town of Signal Mountain in 1964 and became full-time in 1965; and,

WHEREAS, Hershel Dick took leave from the Town 1968 in order to serve his Country in the United States Army; and,

WHEREAS, Hershel Dick returned in 1970 and began work in the Town's Public Utilities Department where he eventually was promoted to the position of "Director"; and,

WHEREAS, Hershel Dick spent thirty years living at the Town pumping station to oversee and ensure the Town's water supply was protected and in working order; and,

WHEREAS, in 2000, the Town Council appointed Hershel Dick Town Manager, a position in which he served until his retirement in 2005; and,

WHEREAS, in 2006 at the behest of countless citizens, Hershel Dick agreed to put his name forward as a candidate for election to the Signal Mountain Town Council; and,

WHEREAS, although Hershel Dick conducted a modest campaign, he received considerably more votes than any of the seven other candidates in the field and was elected to the Town Council for four years, where he served as vice mayor from 2006-2008; and,

WHEREAS, Vice Mayor and Council Member Hershel Dick has shared his wisdom, integrity, courage, and knowledge to guide the Council in its efforts to serve the citizens of the Town for the last four years; and,

WHEREAS, Hershel Dick is known to the Town Council as a valued colleague, throughout the community as a friend to all, as a loving husband to his wife Hazel, as the devoted father of Deloris Craig and Jan Bennett, and as the doting grandfather of two grandchildren and one great-grandchild;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF SIGNAL MOUNTAIN TENNESSEE that Hershel Dick is hereby honored for 44 years of service to the citizens of the Town by naming the road from Rolling Way to the Town Hall "Hershel Dick Drive."



MAYOR



RECORDER

2/14/11

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