



Pinellas County

Staff Report

File #: 20-1789A, **Version:** 1

Subject:

Resolution renaming Boesch Drive in the Estates of Lake Tarpon Subdivision in unincorporated Palm Harbor as Blackstone Drive.

Recommended Action:

Approval of the resolution renaming Boesch Drive in the Estates of Lake Tarpon Subdivision in unincorporated Palm Harbor as Blackstone Drive.

- Affected property owners were petitioned about the renaming of Boesch Drive to Blackstone Drive.
- The Petition received 76.9% approval, which is 10 of the 13 affected property owners.
- Florida Statute 336.05(1) and County Code 154-103(a)(2) allow for this renaming of the road by resolution, once conditions are met, including a petition signed by 60% of affected property owners for approval.

Strategic Plan:

Foster Continual Economic Growth and Vitality

4.5 Provide safe and effective transportation systems to support the efficient flow of motorists, commerce, and regional connectivity

Deliver First Class Services to the Public and Our Customers

5.1 Maximize partner relationships and public outreach

5.3 Ensure effective and efficient delivery of county services and support

Summary:

Boesch Drive is a private cul de sac in the Blackstone Community of the Estates of Lake Tarpon Subdivision, located in unincorporated Palm Harbor. County staff, at the request of the Blackstone Community, petitioned affected property owners about renaming Boesch Drive as Blackstone Drive. The petition to change the road name received 76.9% approval.

F.S. 336.05(1) authorizes the Board of County Commissioners (Board) to rename County roads. County Code 154-103(a)(2) permits a County road to be renamed upon submission of a petition signed by sixty percent (60%) of affected property-owners approval.

The United States Postal Service (USPS) and County Emergency Management have no objections to the name change. Additionally, the renaming fee required by County Code has been paid.

Background Information:

No other Blackstone Drive exists in either incorporated or unincorporated County. Fourteen (14) lots

have a physical address of Boesch Drive and are affected by the renaming of the road. Two of the 14 lots have the same owner. Thus, thirteen (13) owners were petitioned. Ten (10) of the 13 petitioned owners (76.9%) approved of the road being renamed. Two of the 13 petitioned owners disapproved of the renaming and one of the 13 owners was unresponsive.

The Public Works Department will forward a copy of the adopted Resolution to the USPD.

Fiscal Impact:

N/A

Staff Member Responsible:

Kelli Hammer Levy, Director, Public Works

Partners:

Blackstone Community

USPD

Attachments:

Resolution 20-

Exhibit A

Property Owners List

Petition

Project Location Map - to be provided