### PROPOSED RESOLUTION NO. 2021-R-53

### **RESOLUTION NO.**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF PEMBROKE PINES, FLORIDA, ERECTING A STATUE OF MAHATMA GANDHI IN WILLIAM B. ARMSTRONG DREAM PARK; NAMING THE STREET ENTERING THE WILLIAM B. ARMSTRONG DREAM PARK "PEACE WAY"; NAMING THE FUTURE BUILDING IN WILLIAM B. ARMSTRONG DREAM PARK AFTER MAHATMA GANDHI IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 100.02 OF THE CITY OF PEMBROKE PINES CODE OF ORDINANCES; RECOGNIZING HIS CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE CITY OF PEMBROKE PINES; DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE CITY OFFICIALS TO TAKE ANY AND ALL ACTION NECESSARY TO EFFECTUATE THE INTENT OF **RESOLUTION:** PROVIDING FOR THIS CONFLICTS: PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, Mahatma Gandhi was an Indian activist who was the leader

of the leader of the Indian Independence movement against British colonial rule;

and,

WHEREAS, Mahatma Gandhi employed nonviolent civil disobedience

and inspired movements for civil rights, diversity and freedom across the world;

and,

WHEREAS, the City of Pembroke Pines is known for its commitment to

the arts and cultural diversity; and,

WHEREAS, in accordance with Section 100.02 of the City's Code of Ordinances, the City Commission finds it to be in the best interests of the citizens

and residents of the City to: (1) erect of statue of Mahatma Gandhi in the William

B. Armstrong Dream Park, name the street entering the William B. Armstrong

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Park "Peace Way" and name the future building to be erected in the William B. Armstrong Park after Mahatma Gandhi.

# NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF PEMBROKE PINES, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

**Section 1.** The foregoing "WHEREAS" clauses are hereby ratified and confirmed as being true and correct, and are incorporated herein by this reference.

<u>Section 2.</u> The City Commission of the City of Pembroke Pines, in accordance with Section 100.02 of the City's Code of Ordinances, hereby approves the installation of a statue of Mahatma Gandhi in the William B. Armstrong Dream Park, names the entry road into the William B. Armstrong Dream Park "Peace Way", and names the future building to be erected in the William B. Armstrong Dream Park after Mahatma Gandhi.

**Section 3.** The City Commission hereby authorizes and directs the appropriate City Officials to do all things necessary and expedient to effectuate the intent of this resolution.

**Section 4.** All resolutions inconsistent or in conflict herewith shall be and are hereby repealed insofar as there is conflict or inconsistency.

**Section 5.** If any section, sentence, clause, or phrase of this resolution is held to be invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction,

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then said holding shall in no way affect the validity of the remaining portions of this resolution.

**Section 6.** This resolution shall become effective upon its passage and adoption by the City Commission.

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PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF

PEMBROKE PINES, FLORIDA, THIS \_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_, 2019.

CITY OF PEMBROKE PINES, FLORIDA

ATTEST:

| MARLENE GRAHAM, CITY CLERK |  |
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Ву:\_\_\_\_\_

MAYOR FRANK C. ORTIS

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OFFICE OF THE CITY ATTORNEY

APPROVED AS TO FORM: