

**MOTION
NO. M-26-394**

CITY HALL: September 17, 2026

**BY: COUNCILMEMBER MCCARRON
SECONDED BY: COUNCILMEMBER WILLARD**

WHEREAS, in the 1870s, the City of Carrollton was annexed by New Orleans, creating an anomaly in street names; and

WHEREAS, Upperline Street in the City of Carrollton was changed to Monticello Avenue in New Orleans, but Carrollton's Lowerline and Northline streets remained unchanged; and

WHEREAS, in the 1950s, almost all of Northline Street was renamed to Palmetto Street, except for a small sliver extending to the Jefferson Parish line; and

WHEREAS, this name anomaly creates an unnecessary burden on Northline residents and only leads to confusion for postal carriers, delivery drivers, and first responders; **NOW THEREFORE**

BE IT MOVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEW ORLEANS, That the City Planning Commission is directed to conduct a public hearing to consider renaming the 350 feet of Northline Street, bounded by Cecil Street and Monticello Avenue, to Palmetto Street.

BE IT FURTHER MOVED, That the Office of Information Technology and Innovation and the Department of Public Works are directed to provide to the City Planning Commission any information that may be required to effectuate this request pursuant to the City Planning Commission's rules, policies and procedures within ten business days of the passage of this motion.

BE IT FURTHER MOVED, That the Clerk of Council shall forward copies of this motion to the City Planning Commission, Office of Information Technology and Innovation, and the Department of Public Works.

**THE FOREGOING MOTION WAS READ IN FULL, THE ROLL WAS CALLED
ON THE ADOPTION THEREOF, AND RESULTED AS FOLLOWS**

YEAS: Green, Harris, Hughes, King, McCarron, Morrell, Willard
NAYS: 0
ABSENT: 0
RECUSED: 0

AND THE MOTION WAS ADOPTED.

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THE FOREGOING IS CERTIFIED
TO BE A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY



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THE COUNCIL
City of New Orleans

September 17, 2026

Robert Rivers
Director, New Orleans City Planning Commission
1300 Perdido Street, 7th Floor
New Orleans, LA 70112

Re: Street Name Change Request for Northline Street

Dear Director Rivers:

In accordance with City Code § 146-759.5, we would like to formally request the City Planning Commission commence proceedings to change the name of Northline Street, bounded by Cecil Street and Monticello Avenue, to Palmetto Street.

Please find the information required by the CPC to process the request:

Name of person or group requesting the street name change:
Councilmember Aimee McCarron

Contact person and address:
Claire Byun, Land Use Director, City Council District A
Address: 1300 Perdido Street, Suite 280, New Orleans, LA 70112
Phone: (504) 658-1017
E-Mail: claire.byun@nola.gov

Location of the proposed name change, including total length of the street to be affected and bounding streets or other boundaries:

Northline Street from Cecil Street to Monticello Avenue, as depicted in the attached map. The total length of street subject to the change is approximately 350 feet.



Total number of lots affected by proposal:

According to the City's "Property Viewer," 1 lot of record is addressed Northline Street.

Total number of residential, commercial, and industrial uses affected by proposal:

According to the City's "Property Viewer," Northline Street is zoned HU-RD1.

Statement of cost:

\$300

Funding of cost:

Department of Public Works (DPW)

Proposed street name change:

Palmetto Street

Reason for the change:

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Councilmember Aimee McCarron

New Orleans City Council, District A