

City of Philadelphia



Council of the City of Philadelphia
Office of the Chief Clerk
Room 402, City Hall
Philadelphia

(Resolution No. 000613)

RESOLUTION

Also naming that part of North Fifth Street from Lehigh Avenue to Indiana Avenue as “Officer Jose Ortiz Avenue.”

WHEREAS, Officer Jose Ortiz was a heroic Philadelphia Police Officer who died in the line of duty; and

WHEREAS, Officer Ortiz grew up in Kensington and returned to Kensington to protect and serve the citizens of the 25th Police District; and

WHEREAS, Officer Ortiz served his neighbors by reaching his lifelong dream of becoming a Philadelphia Police Officer; and

WHEREAS, Officer Ortiz also continued to serve his neighbors after work; and

WHEREAS, Officer Ortiz continued to assist in saving the lives of others after his death through organ donation; now therefore

RESOLVED, BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF PHILADELPHIA, That that portion of North Fifth Street from Lehigh Avenue to Indiana Avenue shall also be known as “Officer Jose Ortiz Avenue.”

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RESOLUTION NO. 000613 continued

CERTIFICATION: This is a true and correct copy of the original Resolution, Adopted by the Council of the City of Philadelphia on the twenty-eight of September, 2000.

Anna C. Verna
PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL

Patricia Rafferty
CHIEF CLERK OF THE COUNCIL

Introduced by: Councilmembers Mariano and Rizzo

Sponsored by: Councilmembers Council President Verna, Goode, Tasco, Miller, Kenney, DiCicco, Cohen, Reynolds Brown, Ortiz, Longstreth, O'Neill, Clarke, Nutter and Blackwell