

## Mahoney Introduces Legislation To Name Post Office After Cee Cee Ross Lyles, 9/11 Flight Attendant

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- Today, Congressman Tim Mahoney (FL-16) introduced legislation (H.R. 6772) to officially name the post office in Fort Pierce after Cee Cee Ross Lyles, a flight attendant on United Flight 93, which crashed in a Pennsylvania field on September 11, 2001. Passengers on that flight fought back against the hijackers after learning that other jetliners had been flown into the Pentagon and World Trade Center.

"Cee Cee Ross Lyles was a true American hero," said Congressman Mahoney. "Today, we are honoring her legacy by naming the Fort Pierce post office after her."

Lyles was born and raised in Fort Pierce, where she also worked as a police officer for six years. In 2000, she moved to Fort Myers to take a job as a flight attendant.

Once Mahoney's bill is approved, the post office at 1717 Orange Ave. would officially be known as the Cee Cee Ross Lyles Post Office Building. A companion bill has been introduced in the Senate by Senator Mel Martinez and co-sponsored by Senator Bill Nelson.

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