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The Honorable Shannon Valentine
Secretary of Transportation
Commonwealth of Virginia
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RE: 2018 SMART SCALE Priorities

Dear Secretary Valentine:

In response to the Commonwealth's request for public input on prioritizing transportation projects, we are writing to express the Fredericksburg Area Metropolitan Planning Organization's (FAMPO) strong support for the twenty-eight applications submitted to the 2018 SMART SCALE prioritization process within Planning District 16:

FAMPO

1. I-95 NB Widening & Exit 126 STARS Improvements
2. I-95 SB Widening (Exit 130 to Exit 126)
3. I-95 SB Widening with Exit 126 SB Auxiliary Lane
4. I-95 Exit 126 STARS Study Improvements

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5. Centreport Parkway and US Route 1 Area Improvements
6. US 17 Business STARS Study Improvements & New Commuter Parking Lot
7. Route 3 STARS Study Improvements
8. Route 3 STARS Study, I-95 Off-Ramp Improvement & Gateway Boulevard Extension

Stafford County

9. Enon Road and US Route 1 Intersection and Roadway Improvements
10. Winding Creek Road Widening
11. Eskimo Hill Road Improvements
12. Stefaniga Road and Mountain View Road Intersection Improvements

City of Fredericksburg

13. Lafayette Boulevard/Kenmore Avenue/Charles Street Roundabouts
14. US Route 1 and Fall Hill Avenue Intersection Improvements
15. Dixon Street (Rte 2) and Lansdowne Road Intersection Improvements
16. Gateway Boulevard Extension and I-95 NB Off-Ramp Improvement

Spotsylvania County

17. Harrison Road and Salem Church Road Intersection Improvements
18. Germanna Point Drive Extension
19. US Route 1 and Route 208/Lafayette Blvd Intersection Improvements
20. Route 2/US 17 Business Improvements

Caroline County

21. I-95 Exit 104 Interchange Safety Improvements
22. Bowling Green US Route 301 Corridor Safety Improvements

King George County

23. US Route 301 and Route 3 Median U-Turn Intersection
24. Route 206 and Route 218 Right Turn Lane
25. US Route 301 and University Drive/Market Center Double Restricted Crossing U-Turn
26. US Route 301 and Route 206 Median U-Turn Intersection

FREdericksburg Regional Transit

27. Transit Shelters and Benches
28. New Commuter Parking Lot on Route 3 in Stafford County

We also thank the Commonwealth for their support of the Atlantic Gateway Initiative and the 95 Express Lanes Fredericksburg Extension. We appreciate the opportunity to provide comments regarding transportation projects and priorities in Planning District 16.

Sincerely,

Timothy McLaughlin, Chair

CC:

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