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June 16, 2017

Mr. John Davis, Ph.D.
6020 W. Copper Mountain Dr.
Spotsylvania, VA 22553

Dear Mr. Davis:

At its June 15, 2017 meeting the Board of Supervisors appointed you to serve on the Citizens Transportation Advisory Group representing the Lee Hill District. The Transportation Advisory Group meets the 2nd Wednesday monthly at 6:00 p.m. at 406 Princess Anne St. in Fredericksburg. Your term commences immediately and will expire on June 15, 2019.

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On behalf of the Board, I would like to thank you for serving in this position for Spotsylvania County. If my staff or I can be of assistance to you, please let me know.

Sincerely,

Mark L. Cole
Deputy County Administrator

Enclosures

C: Karl Holsten, County Attorney
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June 20, 2017

**COMMONWEALTH TRANSPORTATION BOARD APPROVES SIX-YEAR IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM
\$18.6 billion in road, bridge, rail and public transportation improvements; board also approves VDOT and
DRPT's annual budgets**

RICHMOND, Virginia - The Commonwealth Transportation Board (CTB) approved today the latest Six-Year Improvement Program (SYIP) for the [Virginia Department of Transportation \(VDOT\)](#) and the [Department of Rail and Public Transportation \(DRPT\)](#), which allocates \$18.6 billion to transportation projects over the next six fiscal years beginning July 1, 2017. Projects include highway, road, bridge, rail, transit, bicycle/pedestrian paths and other transportation improvements across the state.

The SYIP provides funding to more than 3,600 transportation projects to improve the state's infrastructure. This SYIP is the second program to include projects funded through the new funding structure provided by the Governor and General Assembly in 2015, including SMART SCALE distributed High Priority Projects and District Grant programs and State of Good Repair.

FY 2018-2023 Six-Year Improvement Program breakdown:

\$15.2 billion – Highway Construction:

- \$1.1 billion – State of Good Repair
 - \$2.1 billion – SMART SCALE
 - \$0.7 billion – Legacy Programs
 - \$3.4 billion – Specialized Programs
 - \$1.2 billion – Revenue Sharing
 - \$1.6 billion – Maintenance
 - \$0.1 billion – Research and Planning
 - \$3.9 billion – Public-Private Partnerships
 - \$1.1 billion – Local and Regional Funding
- \$3.4 billion – Rail and Public Transportation
- \$817 million – Rail Initiatives
 - \$2.6 billion – Public Transportation*
- *Includes \$168 million in SMART SCALE funds.

\$18.6 billion – Total six-year program

VDOT's Annual Budget for FY 2018

The Virginia Department of Transportation's (VDOT) annual budget for Fiscal Year 2018 is \$5.4 billion, representing a one percent increase from the FY 2017 budget. The increase from the previous year is due to a large increase in project participation contributions from the regional entities and localities, offsetting a significant reduction in state

revenue and lower use of bond proceeds. Without the increased project contributions, the FY 2018 budget would have been \$315 million less, or a four percent reduction from the FY 2017 Budget. The annual budget is based on the most recent official state revenue forecast from December 2016 and estimated federal funding.

Funds that will be provided for highway maintenance and operations represent 35 percent of the total budget, followed by nearly 31 percent for highway construction.

Smaller portions of the budget are directed to address the needs and requirements of debt service, support to other agencies, tolls, administration, and other programs.

The breakdown:

\$356 million – Debt Service

\$2.13 billion – Road maintenance and operations (includes city and county street payments)

\$548.6 million – Support to other agencies, tolls, administration and other programs

\$1.87 billion – Construction

\$492.5 million – Funding dedicated to Northern Virginia and Hampton Roads Regions for local and regional transportation projects

\$5.41 billion – Total VDOT annual budget

DRPT's Annual Budget for FY 2018

The Department of Rail and Public Transportation (DRPT) annual budget for Fiscal Year 2018 is \$689 million. The overwhelming majority of these funds are directed to a variety of grant recipients, including: public transportation providers, local and regional government entities, freight railroads, and Amtrak. Over 50 percent of these funds are dedicated to capital improvement projects. The annual budget is based on the most recent official state revenue forecast from December 2016 and estimated federal funding.

The breakdown:

\$429 million – Public Transportation Programs

\$207.3 million – Passenger and Freight Rail Programs

\$1.6 million – Rail Industrial Access Programs

\$7.8 million – Rail Preservation Programs

\$8.7 million – Commuter Assistance Programs

\$13.9 million – Agency Operating Budget

\$4.3 million – Planning, Regulation, and Safety Programs

\$16.4 million – Human Service Transportation Programs

\$689 million – Total DRPT annual budget

Information in VDOT news releases was accurate at the time the release was published. For the most current information about projects or programs, please visit the project or program Web pages. You may find those by searching by keyword in the search Virginia DOT box above.

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June 27, 2017

Mr. Paul Milde
Chairman
Fredericksburg Area Metropolitan Planning Organization
406 Princess Anne Street
Fredericksburg, Virginia 22401

Re: Approval of the FY 2018 Final Unified Planning Work Program

Dear Chairman Milde:

The FY 2018 Unified Planning Work Program (UPWP) for the Fredericksburg Area Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO), as adopted by the MPO Board on June 19, 2017, has been reviewed and is approved effective July 1, 2017.

This authorization is subject to the availability of Federal funds for transportation planning activities in the urbanized area. The Fredericksburg Area Metropolitan Planning Organization Board may request funding for the program in accordance with established procedures.

Melissa McGill, FTA Senior Community Planner, is available at (202) 219-3565 if you have any questions concerning this approval.

Sincerely,

Kathleen Zubrzycki, Director
Office of Planning and Program Development

ec: Marsha Fiol, VDOT
Marie Berry, VDRPT
Ivan Rucker, FHWA



**I-95 Express Lanes
Fredericksburg Extension
Prince William County and
Stafford County
Location and Design Public Hearing**

Monday, September 25, 2017, 6-8 p.m.

Inclement weather date is Wednesday, September 27, 2017

Stafford High School

63 Stafford Indians Lane

Fredericksburg, VA 22405

Brief presentation will be delivered at 7 p.m.

Find out about design plans for the proposed Interstate 95 Express Lanes Fredericksburg Extension. The project is proposed to extend Express Lanes by 10 miles from just south of Garrisonville Road to Route 17 in Stafford County. Two reversible Express Lanes would be built in the existing median of I-95. New access points to Express Lanes would be built near the Route 17 and Route 630 (Courthouse Road) I-95 interchanges in Stafford and at Russell Road near Quantico Marine Corps Base in Prince William County.

Stop by between 6-8 p.m. to review the proposed plans and the revised Environmental Assessment (EA) prepared in accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act. Project plans are available for review at the District Office. The revised EA will be available beginning September 8, 2017 on the project website at www.VirginiaDOT.org and at VDOT's Fredericksburg District Office at 87 Deacon Road, Fredericksburg, VA 22405, in Stafford County. Please call 540-899-4288 ahead of your visit to ensure appropriate personnel are available to answer your questions.

Property impact information, relocation assistance policies and tentative construction schedules are available for your review at the District Office and will be available at the public hearing.

In compliance with the National Historic Preservation Act, Section 106 and 36 CFR Part 800, information concerning the potential effects of the proposed project on properties listed in or eligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places is provided in the environmental documentation.

Give your written or oral comments at the hearing or submit them by October 10, 2017, to Krishna Potturi, Project Manager, 87 Deacon Road, Fredericksburg, VA 22405. You may also email your comments to I95fredex@vdot.virginia.gov. Please reference "I-95 Express Lanes FredEx" in the email subject line.

VDOT ensures nondiscrimination and equal employment in all activities in accordance with Title VI and Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964. If you need more information or special assistance for persons with disabilities or limited English proficiency, contact VDOT's Civil Rights District Manager Valerie Talley at 540-899-4562 or TDD/TTY 711.

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September 13, 2017

Mr. Stan Huie
5 Belle Meade Ct.
Fredericksburg, VA 22407

Dear Mr. Huie:

At its September 12, 2017 meeting the Board of Supervisors appointed you to serve on the Citizens Transportation Advisory Group representing the Courtland District. The Transportation Advisory Group meets the 2nd Wednesday monthly at 6:00 p.m. at 406 Princess Anne St. in Fredericksburg. Your term commences immediately and will expire on September 12, 2019.

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