

Commonwealth Transportation Board

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Agenda item #3

## RESOLUTION OF THE COMMONWEALTH TRANSPORTATION BOARD

May 21, 2009

## **MOTION**

## Made By: Mr. Koelemay Seconded By: Mrs. Connally Action: Motion Carried, Unanimously

## Title: Virginia Byway Designation - Route 751 (Cider Mill Road) - Loudoun County

**WHEREAS**, under the authority of §33.1-62 of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended, the Commonwealth Transportation Board (CTB) is authorized to designate Virginia Byways in cooperation with the Virginia Department of Conservation and Recreation (DCR) after providing notice and the opportunity for a hearing; and

**WHEREAS,** at the request of the Loudoun County Board of Supervisors, the staffs of DCR and the Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT) have reviewed and determined that the following route substantially meets the criteria as a Virginia Byway

• Route 751(Cider Mill Road) from Route 9 (Charles Town Pike) to the intersection with Route 719 (Stony Point/Woodgrove Road)

**WHEREAS**, the DCR on March 5, 2009 recommended to VDOT that the route herein described be designated as a Virginia Byway; and

**WHEREAS**, the procedures required by §33.1-62 have been followed and the views of the citizens and local governing body have been considered; and

WHEREAS, while once designated, it is the sense of the CTB that such designation should not limit roadway improvements or maintenance by the VDOT, or prevent the CTB from exercising its general power and duties to locate, construct, improve and maintain all highways in the Commonwealth. Further, VDOT is directed to make every effort to ensure that the scenic integrity of Virginia's Byways are maintained in order to preserve and protect the unique natural resources, and promote and protect Virginia's vital tourism industry and the thousands of jobs associated therewith;

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that Route 751 in Loudoun County as herein described be designated as a Virginia Byway.