



COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA

Commonwealth Transportation Board

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Agenda item # 8

RESOLUTION OF THE COMMONWEALTH TRANSPORTATION BOARD

February 21, 2023

MOTION

Made By: Mr. Merrill, **Seconded By:** Mr. Laird,

Action: Motion Carried, Unanimously

Title: Bridge Naming: “Dominic ‘Nick’ J. Winum Memorial Bridge”

WHEREAS, in accordance with § 33.2-213 of the *Code of Virginia*, the Page County Board of Supervisors has requested, by resolution dated November 7, 2022, that the Commonwealth Transportation Board (CTB), to honor and memorialize the life, service and ultimate sacrifice of Dominic “Nick” J. Winum, name the bridge on U.S. Route 211 West, over the South Fork of the Shenandoah River, Page County, as the “Dominic ‘Nick’ J. Winum Memorial Bridge”; and

WHEREAS, Page County, by resolution dated November 7, 2022, has agreed to be responsible for payment of all sign costs billed by the Virginia Department of Transportation calling attention to this naming, which will include the costs to produce, place, and maintain the signs; and

WHEREAS, § 33.2-213 provides that the Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT) shall place and maintain appropriate signs indicating the names of highways, bridges, interchanges, and other transportation facilities named by the CTB and requires that the costs of producing, placing, and maintaining such signs shall be paid by the localities in which they are located or by the private entity whose name is attached to the transportation facility so named.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, pursuant to § 33.2-213 of the *Code of Virginia*, the CTB hereby names the bridge on U.S. Route 211 West, over the South Fork of the Shenandoah River, Page County, as the “Dominic ‘Nick’ J. Winum Memorial Bridge”.

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that VDOT is directed to produce, place, and maintain the signs calling attention to this naming, and secure payment from Page County for these costs as required by law.

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CTB Decision Brief

Bridge Naming: “Dominic ‘Nick’ J. Winum Memorial Bridge”

Issue: Commemorative naming of the bridge on U.S. Route 211 West, over the South Fork of the Shenandoah River, Page County, as the “Dominic ‘Nick’ J. Winum Memorial Bridge”.

Facts: The Page County Board of Supervisors enacted a resolution on November 7, 2022 to honor Dominic J. “Nick” Winum’s life and ultimate sacrifice to his community.

According to that resolution, Mr. Winum began his career in law enforcement as a State Trooper with the Virginia State Police from 2006-2016 and then served as an Officer with the Stanley Police Department from 2016-2021.

Dominic “Nick” J. Winum was a dedicated servant who selflessly sacrificed his own life in the line of duty on February 26, 2021 while serving and protecting his community.

One of his favorite spots while patrolling U.S. Route 211 West was in the area of the White House Bridge where he could enjoy the scenic view of the Shenandoah River. The White House Bridge was recently replaced, upgrading the structure over the South Fork of the Shenandoah River.

Recommendations: The Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT) recommends this request be approved.

Action Required by CTB: The *Code of Virginia* requires a majority of the CTB members to approve a resolution naming a highway or bridge, as appropriate. A resolution will be provided For the Board’s consideration.

Result if Approved: The bridge on U.S. Route 211 West, over the South Fork of the Shenandoah River, Page County, will be known as the “Dominic ‘Nick’ J. Winum Memorial Bridge”. In accordance with law, and by resolution dated November 7, 2022, Page County agrees to pay the costs of producing, placing, and maintaining the signs calling attention to this naming.

Options: Approve, Deny, or Defer.

Public Comments/Reactions: VDOT is not aware of any opposition to this proposal.



COUNTY OF PAGE

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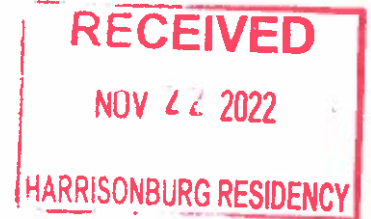
Board of Supervisors:

Keith Weakley – Chairman – At- Large
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Jeff Vaughan – District 5

County Administrator:

Amity Moler

November 15, 2022



Mr. Don Komara
Virginia Department of Transportation
Harrisonburg Residency
3536 North Valley Pike
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Dear Don:

The Page County Board of Supervisors, at their November 7, 2022 meeting, adopted the enclosed Resolution for Bridge Naming. This Resolution requests the Commonwealth Transportation Board to name the bridge on U. S. Highway 211 West, known as White House Bridge, over the Shenandoah River, as the “Dominic ‘Nick’ J. Winum Memorial Bridge”.

Should you need additional information, please let me know.

Sincerely,

Amity Moler
County Administrator

Enclosure

#2022-14

RESOLUTION FOR BRIDGE NAMING

Naming of the bridge on U. S. Highway 211 West, known as White House Bridge, over the Shenandoah River as the “Dominic ‘Nick’ J. Winum Memorial Bridge”

WHEREAS, Dominic “Nick” J. Winum, began his career in law enforcement as a State Trooper with the Virginia State Police from 2006 until 2016; and

WHEREAS, Dominic “Nick” J. Winum, served as an Officer with the Stanley Police Department from 2016 until 2021; and

WHEREAS, Dominic “Nick” J. Winum was a dedicated servant who selflessly sacrificed his own life in the Line of Duty, on February 26, 2021, while serving and protecting his community; and

WHEREAS, Dominic “Nick” J. Winum served the community with honor and distinction and worked tirelessly to protect and serve the citizens of Stanley; and

WHEREAS, one of Dominic “Nick” Winum’s favorite spots was to sit in the area of the White House Bridge where he could enjoy the scenic view of the Shenandoah River while patrolling U. S. Highway 211 West; and


WHEREAS, the White House Bridge was recently replaced, upgrading the existing structure over the South Fork of the Shenandoah River, in Page County; and

WHEREAS, this Board wishes to honor and memorialize the life and sacrifice of Dominic “Nick” J. Winum.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Page County, in accordance with Section 33.2-213 of the Code of Virginia, does hereby request that the Commonwealth Transportation Board name the bridge on U. S. Highway 211 West, known as White House Bridge, over the Shenandoah River, in Page County, as the “Dominic ‘Nick’ J. Winum Memorial Bridge”.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Page County Board of Supervisors agrees to pay the costs of producing, placing, and maintaining the signs calling attention to this naming.

This Resolution was adopted by the Page County Board of Supervisors on this 7th day of November, 2022.

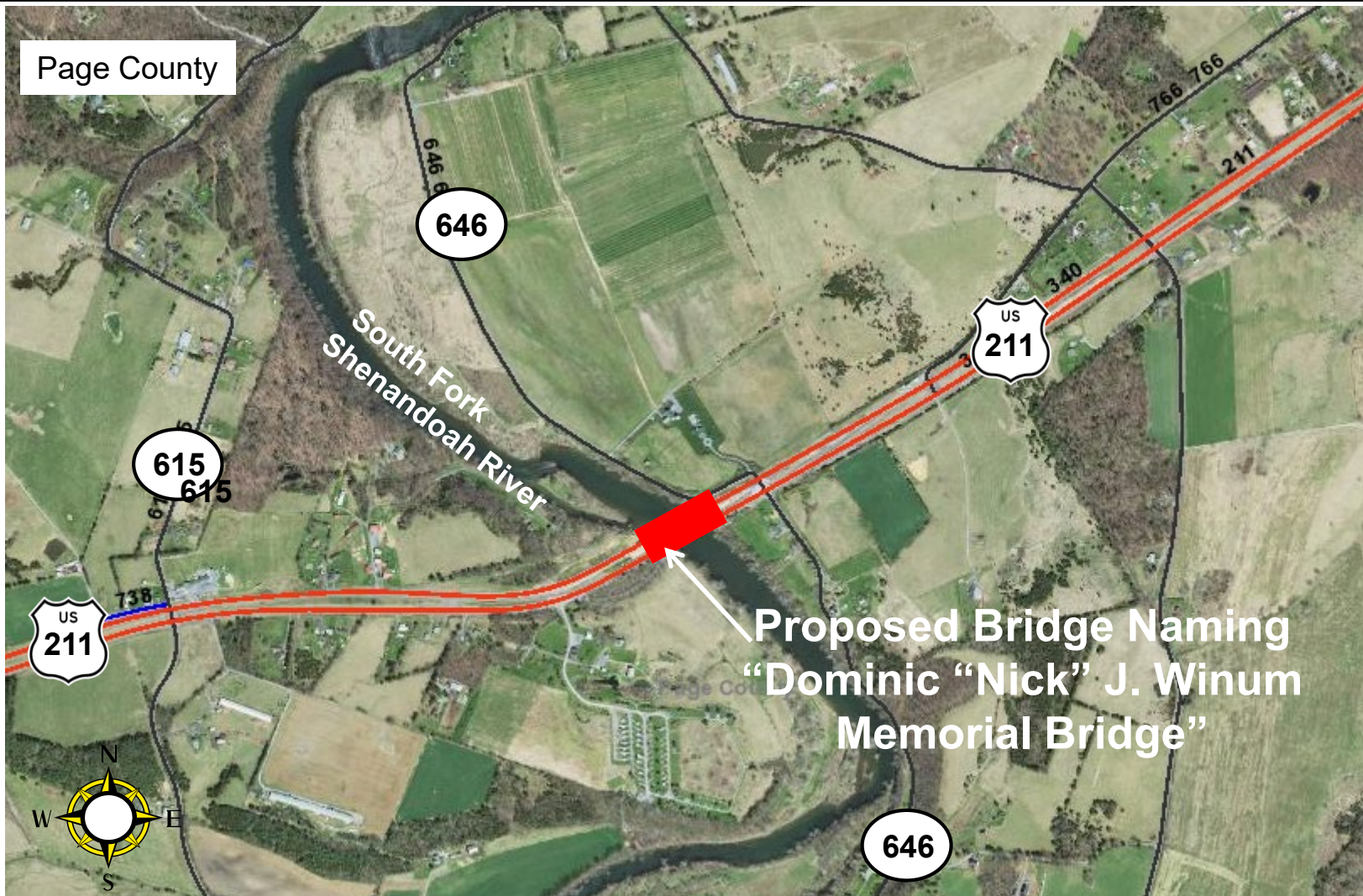


Keith Weakley, Chairman



Amity Moler, Clerk

Page County



Proposed Bridge Naming
"Dominic "Nick" J. Winum
Memorial Bridge"



Maintenance Division

CTB MEETING: February 22, 2023

Page County

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