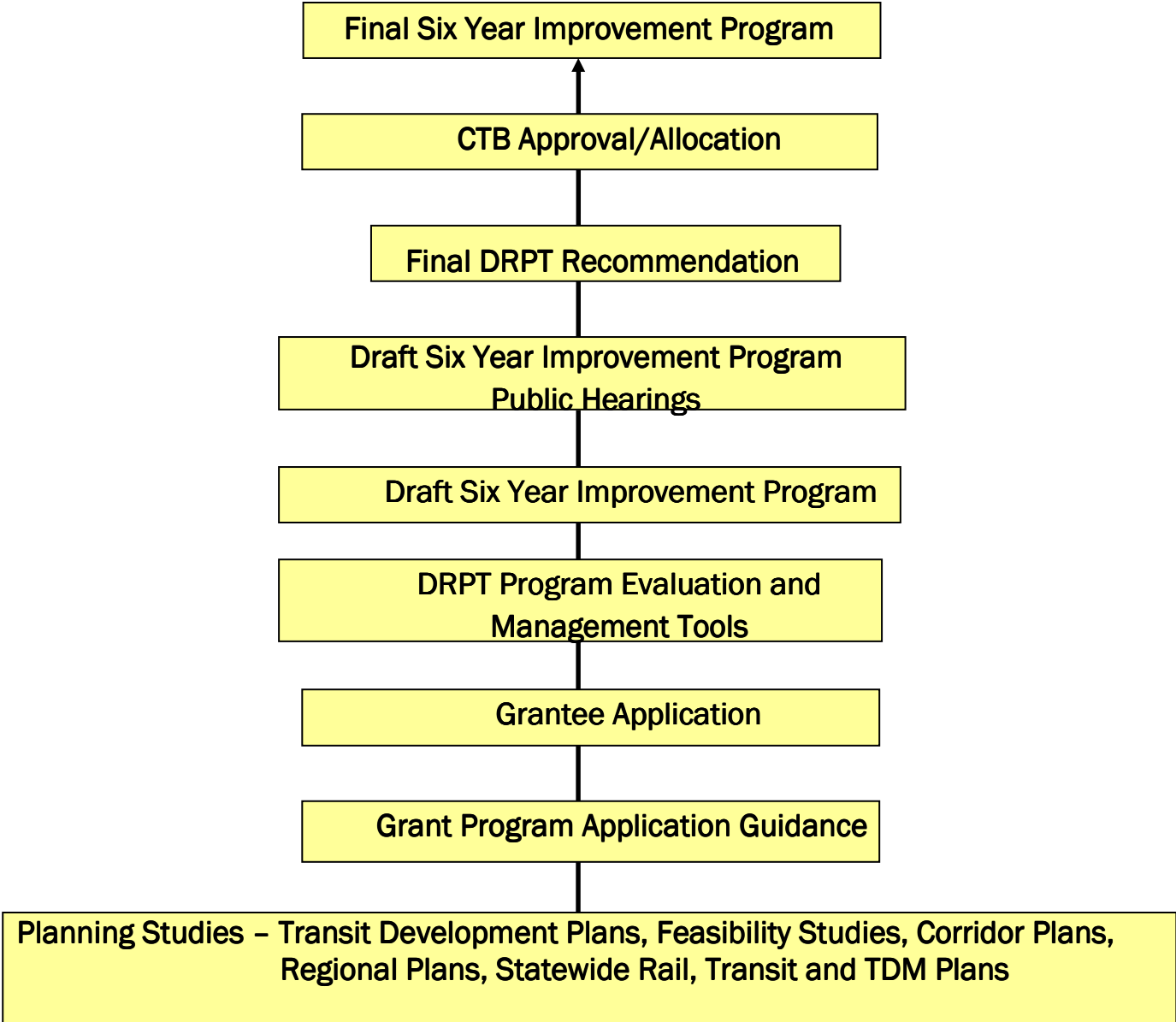


DRPT Draft Six-Year Improvement Program FY 2012 - 2017

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April 20, 2011**

Six Year Improvement Program



Four Year Comparison of Six Year Program

\$ in millions

	Revised FY 09 - 14	Revised FY 10 - 15	FY 11 - 16	FY 12 - 17
Public Transit	\$1,833	\$1,790	\$1,889	\$2,002
Rail	260	243	226	277
Dulles Metrorail	822	46	28	7
Total	\$2,915	\$2,079	\$2,143	\$2,286

Variance Explanation

- Mass Transit Trust Fund and Rail Enhancement Fund revenues
 - Up 17% year over year & 11% for the six year period
- Recordation Tax revenues up 3.5%
- Other sources flat (federal, bonds)

Overall Program

- ❑ Permanent solution needed for rail operating subsidy
 - \$110 million funding gap for rail operations from FY 13 to FY 17
 - § 33.1-221.1:1.3. Established the Intercity Passenger Rail Operating and Capital Fund
 - No revenue source identified

- ❑ Revenue uptick pushed transit operating share to 17%
 - No recovery to the programmatic impact of the dedication of recordation tax revenue for transit operating
 - Rising gas prices – full impact next year.

- ❑ Transit capital projects state match
 - Priority on replacement rolling stock
 - Category for grantees who do not accept federal funds
 - All other capital projects blended rate

Transit Programming Goals

- ❑ Focus investments on key priorities documented through comprehensive planning efforts:
 - State of Good Repair
 - Capacity Expansion
 - New Capacity
 - Security Enhancements
 - Technology Improvements
 - Coordinating Services

- ❑ Fund projects that are ready to incur expenses in the year for which funds are programmed

- ❑ Maximize federal funds

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Transit Allocation Assumptions

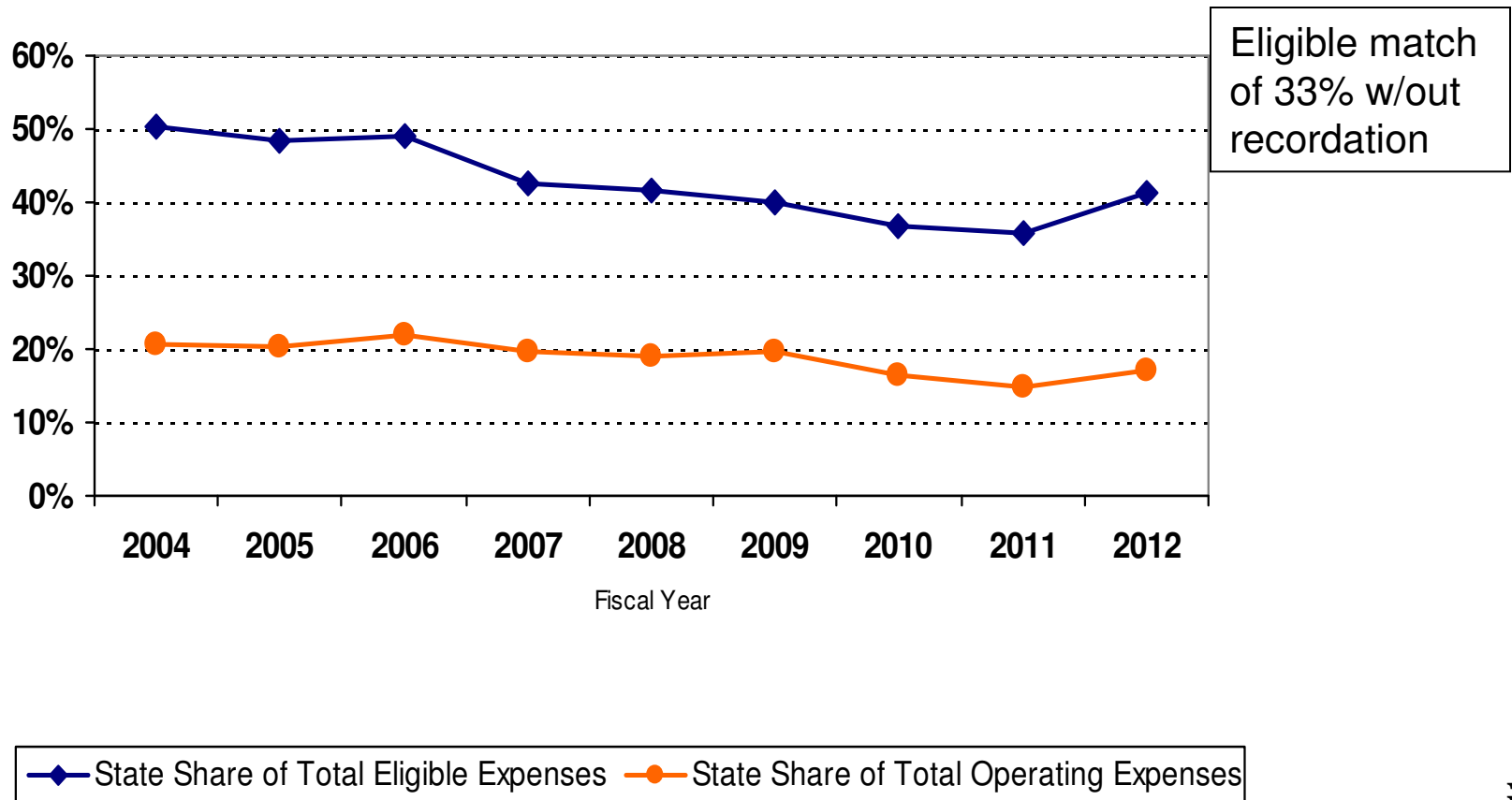
- ❑ Operating funding increased by \$17.5 M from FY 2010 amount
 - 17.2% of total cost
 - Deobligated state transit funds (\$3.94 M)
 - Increase in TTF revenues

- ❑ Capital program focused on maintenance as the first priority
 - Replacement rolling stock - 80% state share of non-federal costs
 - Recipients that do not accept federal dollars received a 50% match on capital projects
 - All other recommended capital projects received blended rate of 54%

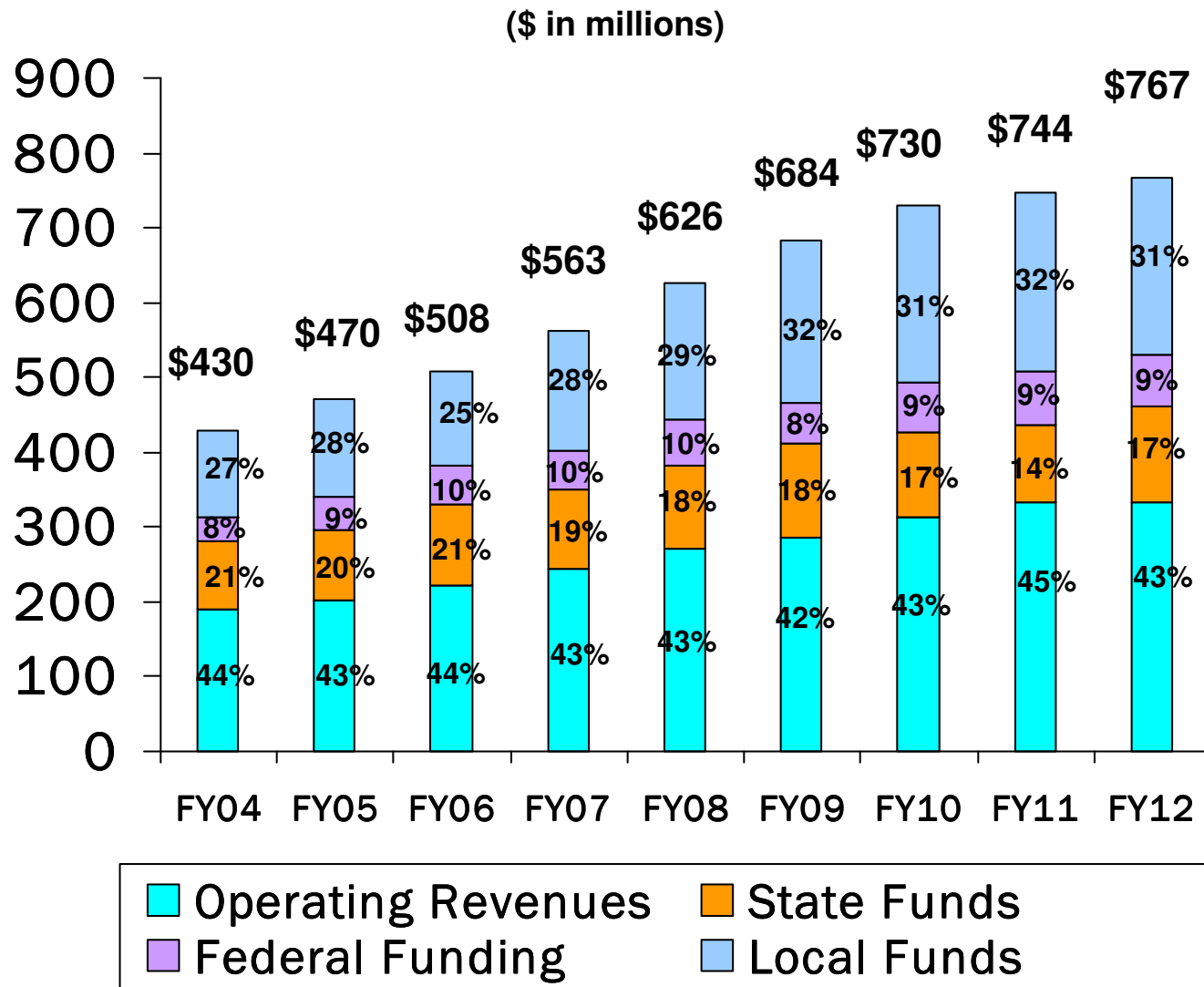
- ❑ Estimated 2.5% allocation for project development, administration and compliance activities from the Mass Transit Trust fund

Public Transportation Operations Funding

41% of Eligible Costs; 17% of FY 2010 Total Costs



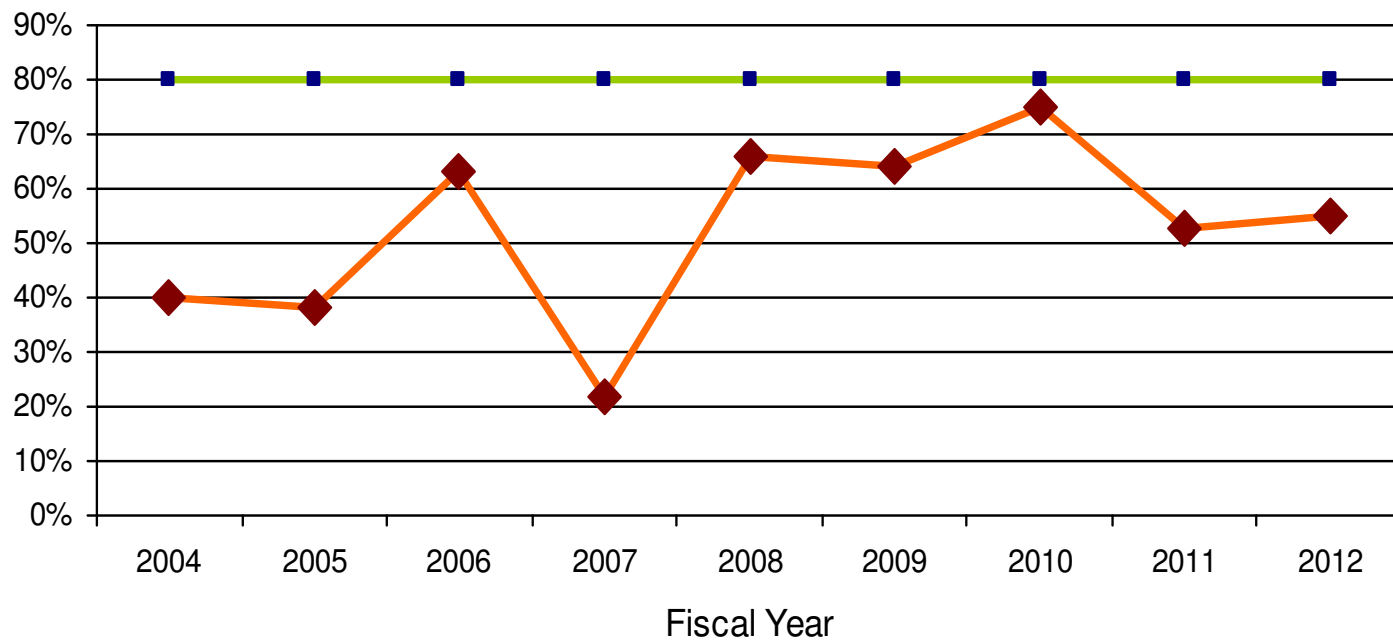
Public Transportation Operations Funding Funding Sources – 9 Yr. History



Public Transportation Capital Funding

55% State Share

State Share of Non-Federal Capital Expenses



Need stability
in state
matching
share



Transit Capital Programming Highlights

❑ State of Good Repair

- 143 Replacement Service Buses and Vans
- 15 Replacement railcars (VRE)
- WMATA PRIAA matching funds

❑ Capacity Expansion (areas with transit)

- 40 Service Expansion Buses
- Dulles Corridor Metrorail Extension
- Norfolk Light Rail Transit Project (The Tide) final funding
- Columbia Pike Streetcar PE (Arlington)

❑ Facility Construction

- Blacksburg, Danville, Fairfax, Farmville, Hampton Roads Transit, Loudoun, Lynchburg, Purcellville (Va. regional Transit), VRE

Senate Joint Resolution No. 297

- ❑ DRPT has been directed to study transit-related issues as follows:
 - Performance – reward operator performance based on specific criteria
 - Prioritization - capital requests by categories
 - Stability – provide stable funding sources and shares
 - Allocation - evaluate the allocation of the 14.7% of TTF Revenues for Transit and the code language that allows transit funding up to 95% for capital and operating

Rail Enhancement Fund Program Goals

- ❑ Project proposal evaluation
 - Must follow into 9 policy goals as adopted the CTB
 - Must be aligned with regional or state plans
 - Must have a Benefit-Cost Ratio > 1.0

- ❑ Benefit-Cost Analysis:
 - Diversion from truck or automobile to rail
 - Reduction in road maintenance
 - Reduced pollution costs
 - Reduced accident costs

- ❑ Priority given to projects that are part of larger initiatives to benefit the Commonwealth

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Rail Allocation Assumptions/Highlights

- ❑ Operating Cost for Passenger Rail
 - Unfunded balance of \$110 million over the six year period
 - Includes Lynchburg, Richmond, Norfolk, and Newport News
 - Six regional trains under PRIIA
 - New fund established – Intercity Passenger Rail Operating and Capital Fund
 - Allows for expenditure on non-capital rail costs without General Assembly earmarks
 - No dedicated source of funding
 - § 33.1-23.1.B states that the CTB “may allocate each year up to 10% of the funds remaining for highway purposes for the undertaking and financing of rail projects that, in the Board's determination, will result in mitigation of highway congestion.”

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Rail Allocation Assumptions/Highlights

- ❑ Utilized accelerated bond funding on new projects
 - VRE Extension to Spotsylvania -3rd Track
 - One of 19 projects for High Speed Rail from Richmond to Washington
 - Requirement for extension to Spotsylvania
 - Kilby Support Yard – Suffolk
 - Key rail yard serving the Port of Virginia
- ❑ Matched SYIP allocations to expected cash flows
- ❑ Rail Preservation program converted to a six year plan
 - Finalized process begun last year for all grantees
- ❑ Estimated 2.5% allocation for project development, administration and compliance activities from the Rail Enhancement and Rail Preservation funds

Next Steps

- ❑ Draft Six Year Improvement Program Presented to CTB April 20th

- ❑ Public Hearings
 - Hampton Roads April 27th
 - NOVA May 4th
 - Salem May 12th
 - Richmond May 18th

- ❑ CTB Action June 15th



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