



# COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA

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*Agenda item # 4*

### **RESOLUTION OF THE COMMONWEALTH TRANSPORTATION BOARD**

**July 18, 2012**

#### **MOTION**

**Made By: Mr. Peake Seconded By: Mr. Layne**

**Action: Motion Carried, Unanimously**

#### **Title: Transfer of Route 863, Pittsylvania County From Secondary Highway System to Primary Highway System**

**WHEREAS**, the North Carolina Department of Transportation (NCDOT) has requested the Virginia Department of Transportation's participation in its proposal to extend U.S. Route 311 from Eden, North Carolina to U.S. 58, near Danville, Virginia; and

**WHEREAS**, in order to fulfill the request made by NCDOT, Virginia's [Route 863](#) in Pittsylvania County must first be transferred from the Secondary System of Highways to the Primary System of Highways before it can be re-designated as U.S. Route 311; and

**WHEREAS**, transfers of highways from the Secondary System of Highways to the Primary System of Highways by the Commonwealth Transportation Board are governed by §33.1-34 (A), Code of Virginia, 1950, as amended, and Department Policy Memorandum (DPM) 8-1; and

**WHEREAS**, Route 863 appears to meet a majority of the criteria laid out in DPM 8-1 for transfer to the Primary System of Highways; and

**WHEREAS**, the Pittsylvania County Board of Supervisors passed a resolution supporting transfer of Route 863 from the Secondary System of Highways to the Primary System of Highways and extending the designation of U.S. Route 311 from Eden, North Carolina to U.S. Route 58 in Pittsylvania County.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, pursuant to § 33.1-34(A), Code of Virginia, this Board hereby orders the transfer of Route 863 in Pittsylvania County from the State line to U.S. Route 58, a distance of 7.5 miles, from the Secondary System of Highways to the Primary System of Highways.

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