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Agenda item # New Business 6

RESOLUTION OF THE COMMONWEALTH TRANSPORTATION BOARD

June 18, 2014

MOTION

Made By: Mr. Garczynski Seconded By: Mr. Cole

Action: Motion Carried, Unanimously

Title: Commending W. Sheppard Miller III

WHEREAS, W. Sheppard Miller III served on the Commonwealth Transportation Board (Board) from 2010 to 2014 as an Urban At-Large member, having been appointed by Governor Robert McDonnell; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Miller's strong sense of community, exemplified by his longstanding family ties to the Norfolk area, influenced him to put his talents and background in business and government to use in working to improve the quality of life in the region; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with this belief, in addition to his Board service, Mr. Miller served on a number of organizations, including the Norfolk Redevelopment and Housing Authority (NRHA), Hampton Roads Ventures, the Hampton Roads Chamber of Commerce, and the Hampton Roads Economic Development Alliance, whose aim is to promote wider access to good housing, education, and business opportunities; and

WHEREAS, due in large parts to his leadership, these groups have had a significant impact on the Hampton Roads area; for example, NRHA has worked and spent over \$200 million in over 20 conservation and redevelopment neighborhoods across the city.

WHEREAS, Mr. Miller fulfilled his duties with leadership, dedication, forthrightness and commitment, earning the respect and admiration of his colleagues and the staff at VDOT and the Department of Rail and Public Transportation; and

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WHEREAS, the Board wishes to express its appreciation to Mr. Miller for his years of service to the Commonwealth.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the members of the current Board extend to W. Sheppard Miller III their highest commendation and appreciation for his years of outstanding service on behalf of the citizens of the Commonwealth and express their best wishes to him.

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