



COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA

Commonwealth Transportation Board

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Agenda item #1

RESOLUTION OF THE COMMONWEALTH TRANSPORTATION BOARD

May 17, 2017

MOTION

Made By: Mr. Malbon, Seconded By: Ms. DeTuncq
Action: Motion Carried, Unanimously

Title: “Carrsville Community Memorial Bridge”
Commemorative Naming of the bridge on US Route 58 Business, Carrsville Highway, over
the set of CSX railroad tracks, Isle of Wight County

WHEREAS, the Isle of Wight County Board of Supervisors wants to recognize the unique, shared community identity and heritage of the people living and that have lived in the community where the bridge is found; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with § 33.2-213 of the *Code of Virginia*, the Isle of Wight County Board of Supervisors has requested, by resolution, that the Commonwealth Transportation Board, to recognize the unique, shared community identity and heritage of the people living and that have lived in Carrsville, name the bridge on US Route 58 Business, Carrsville Highway, over the set of CSX railroad tracks, Isle of Wight County as the “Carrsville Community Memorial Bridge”; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of Isle of Wight County has agreed to reimburse the costs associated with providing and installing the necessary signs.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, pursuant to § 33.2-213 of the *Code of Virginia*, the Commonwealth Transportation Board hereby names the bridge on US Route 58 Business, Carrsville Highway, over the set of CSX railroad tracks, Isle of Wight County as the “Carrsville Community Memorial Bridge”; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Department of Transportation is hereby directed to fabricate and erect appropriate signs and to invoice Isle of Wight County for the costs related to this commemorative naming.

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CTB Decision Brief

Bridge Naming: “Carrsville Community Memorial Bridge”

Issue: Commemorative naming of the bridge on US Route 58 Business, Carrsville Highway, over the set of CSX railroad tracks, Isle of Wight County.

Facts: The citizens of Carrsville have a long history of being an active and united community working for the improvement of the area through volunteer groups, civic organizations and church activities. Many of the current residents represent families which have been settled in the area for generations. Carrsville is a census-designated place in Isle of Wight County with a population of 359 in the 2010 Census.

The town is named for Jesse Carr, whose family had long roots in Isle of Wight County. Jesse Carr died in the place that would later bear his name. Carrsville was located on the Portsmouth and Roanoke Railroad, built through the area in the mid-1830s to provide a link between the Roanoke River and the port areas of Norfolk and Portsmouth. The railroad is now part of CSX Transportation.

On January 19, 2017, the Isle of Wight County Board of Supervisors, wishing to recognize the unique, shared community identity and heritage of the location where the bridge is found, passed a resolution requesting the bridge located on US Route 58 Business, Carrsville Highway, over the set of CSX railroad tracks, Isle of Wight County, be named the “Carrsville Community Memorial Bridge”.

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 the bridge. A resolution will be provided for the Board’s consideration.

Result if Approved: The bridge located on US Route 58 Business, Carrsville Highway, over the set of CSX railroad tracks, Isle of Wight County, will be known and signed as the “Carrsville Community Memorial Bridge”.

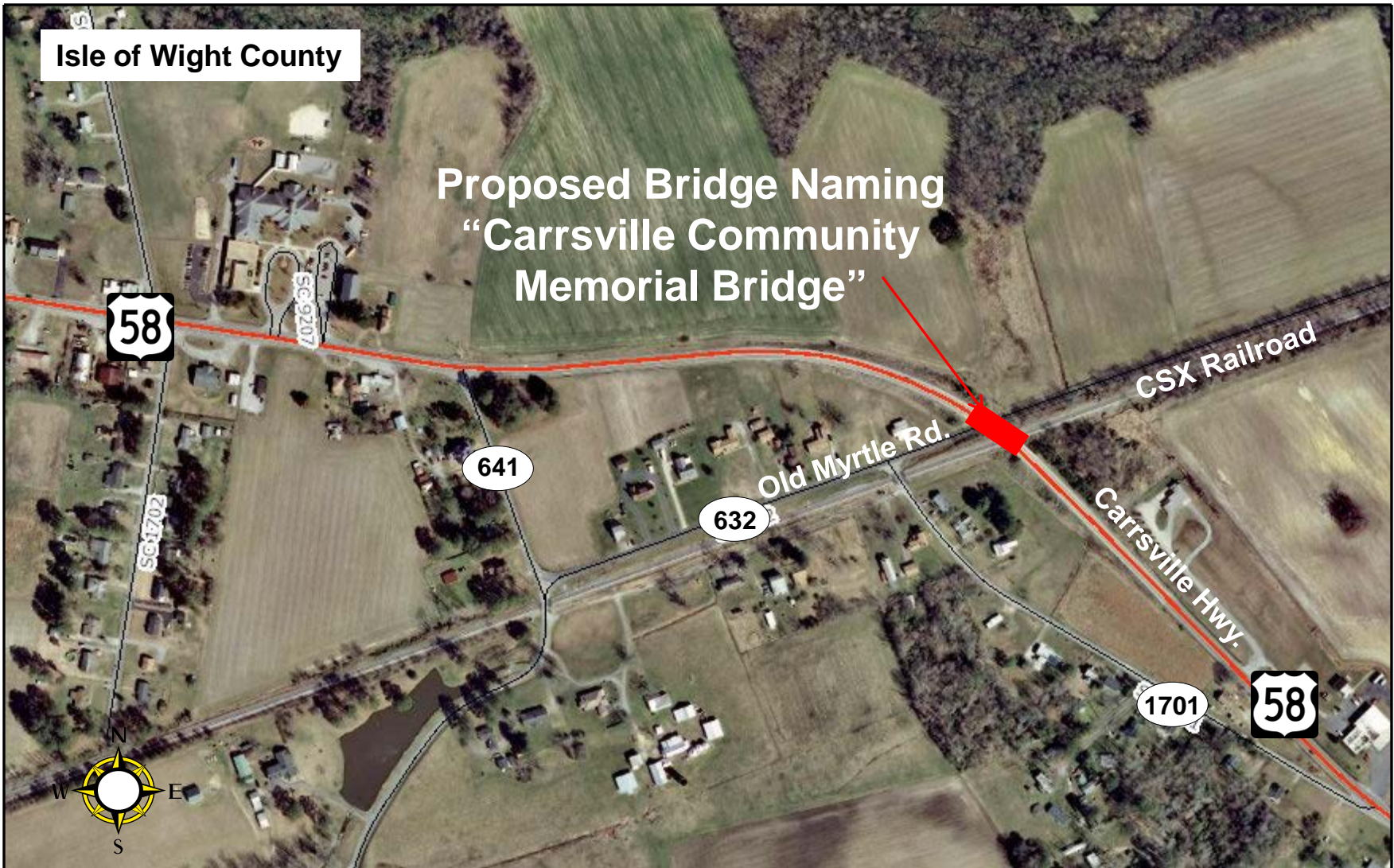
In accordance with law, the County will reimburse the costs associated with providing and installing the necessary signs and VDOT will invoice accordingly.

Options: Approve, Deny, or Defer.

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

Isle of Wight County

Proposed Bridge Naming
“Carrsville Community
Memorial Bridge”






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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
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Charles A. Kilpatrick, P.E.
Commissioner

March 16, 2017

TO: Mr. John F. Jacobs, PE

FROM: J. E. Lomax, II 

SUBJECT: Route 58 Business Bridge (Isle of Wight County)

Please find attached the Resolution to Request the Commonwealth Transportation Board name the Route 58 (Business) Bridge the "Carrsville Community Memorial Bridge"

If any additional information is needed please contact me at 757-346-3065

**RESOLUTION TO REQUEST THE COMMONWEALTH
TRANSPORTATION BOARD NAME THE ROUTE 58 (BUSINESS) BRIDGE
THE "CARRSVILLE COMMUNITY MEMORIAL BRIDGE"**

WHEREAS, the Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT) is currently replacing the Route 58 (Business)/Carrsville Highway bridge (UPC 81435); and,

WHEREAS, said project is scheduled for completion November 2017; and,

WHEREAS, there is no current or previous name for said bridge applied by the General Assembly; and,

WHEREAS, the citizens of Carrsville have a long history of being an active, united community working for the improvement of the area through volunteer groups, civic organizations, and church activities; and,

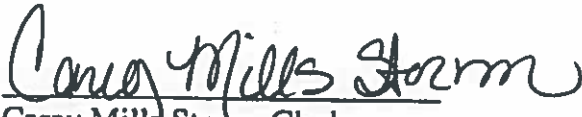
WHEREAS, many of the current residents represent families which have been settled in the area for generations; and,

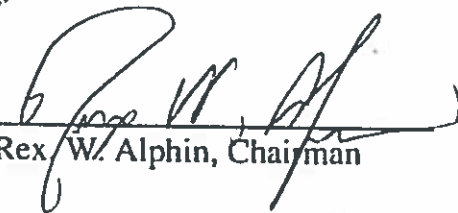
WHEREAS, this name reflects their unique community identity and heritage and is supported by a community petition of over one hundred (100) individual signatures.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED that the Isle of Wight County Board of Supervisors hereby requests that the Commonwealth Transportation Board name the bridge on Route 58 (Business) the "Carrsville Community Memorial Bridge" in recognition of the unique shared community identity and heritage of the location where the bridge is found.

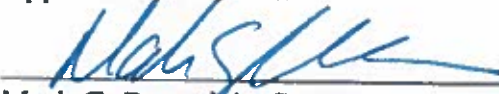
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that Isle of Wight County will assume the costs for the fabrication and installation of signs for this naming.

Adopted this 19th day of January 2017.


Carey Mills Storm, Clerk


Rex W. Alphin, Chairman

Approved as to form:


Mark C. Popovich, County Attorney