

## RESOLUTION

- **SUBJECT:** Commending the Honorable James M. LeMunyon on the Occasion of His Departure from NVTC and the General Assembly
- **WHEREAS:** The Honorable James M. LeMunyon has served as a member of the Virginia General Assembly since 2010 as the representative of the 67<sup>th</sup> District serving parts of Fairfax and Loudoun counties;
- **WHEREAS:** Delegate LeMunyon has served as a Commissioner on the Northern Virginia Transportation Commission since May 2014 and also as a member of the Governance and Personnel Committee;
- **WHEREAS:** NVTC serves as the voice of public transit in Northern Virginia, promoting the region's transit network through effective and efficient public bus and rail systems and ridesharing programs to foster economic vitality in the Region and the Commonwealth;
- **WHEREAS:** Delegate LeMunyon has served as a member of the House General Laws, Education, and Transportation Committees and the Transportation Subcommittee; as the Deputy Whip for the Republican majority and chair of the General Laws Subcommittee on Procurement and the Freedom of Information Act;
- WHEREAS: Delegate LeMunyon patroned HB2136 authorizing Virginia to become a signatory to the Washington Metrorail Safety Commission Interstate Compact, which establishes a state safety oversight authority for the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority (WMATA) Rail System, pursuant to the mandate of federal law, to review, approve, oversee, and enforce the safety of the WMATA Rail System;
- **WHEREAS:** HB2136 included language that brought NVTC to the table to participate in the discussion of WMATA reforms;
- **WHEREAS:** Delegate LeMunyon's HB599 legislation established responsibilities for various entities for long-range transportation planning for the Northern Virginia Transportation District and required projects to be rated and evaluated for congestion reduction among other measures; and
- **WHEREAS:** As a strong advocate for transparency in all aspects of government, Delegate LeMunyon brought a greater awareness to NVTC on Freedom of Information Act related issues.
- **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Northern Virginia Transportation Commission commends the Honorable James M. LeMunyon for his service to NVTC, the citizens of Northern Virginia, and the Commonwealth of Virginia.
- **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that NVTC prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to Delegate LeMunyon as an expression of its gratitude and in appreciation of his leadership and work on the Commission in promoting and funding public transit and ridesharing in Northern Virginia.

Approved this 4<sup>th</sup> day of January 2018.

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