

RESOLUTION #2312

SUBJECT: Approve NVTC's Title VI Program and Compliance Report

WHEREAS: The Federal Transit Administration (FTA) requires grant recipients to submit a Title VI Program and Compliance Report every three years:

WHEREAS: Title VI of the 1964 Civil Rights Act requires that "No persons in the United States shall, on the ground of race, color or national origin, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity receiving federal financial assistance."

WHEREAS: NVTC staff has reviewed these requirements and has prepared a program in compliance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964;

WHEREAS: Subrecipients are required to have their own Title VI Programs and to submit their Title VI programs and compliance reports every three years to the direct recipient of FTA funds:

WHEREAS: Both the City of Falls Church and the City of Alexandria have prepared their own Title VI programs and compliance reports which have been approved by their respective City Councils on May 23rd and June 28th. The Cities have submitted the programs and reports to NVTC; and

WHEREAS: NVTC has incorporated the City of Falls Church's and the City of Alexandria's Title VI programs and compliance reports as attachments to its own report.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Northern Virginia Transportation Commission hereby approves the Title VI Program and Compliance Report and authorizes staff to submit it to the Federal Transit Administration.

Chairman

Approved this 7th day of July 2016.

Paul C. Smedberg Secretary-Treasurer