




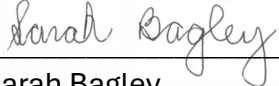
RESOLUTION #2601

- SUBJECT:** Ratify VRE’s Application, on Behalf of the Commissions, to the U.S. Department of Transportation (USDOT) for a FY 2026 BUILD Grant for the VRE L’Enfant Station and 4th Track Improvements Project
- WHEREAS:** On November 26, 2025, the U.S. Department of Transportation (USDOT) issued a Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) to solicit applications for the Better Utilizing Investments to Leverage Development (BUILD) transportation discretionary grant program;
- WHEREAS:** VRE staff considers the VRE L’Enfant Station and 4th Track Improvements project a strong candidate for construction grant funding under the BUILD program;
- WHEREAS:** If authorized, the construction grant funding will be used for the construction phase of the project;
- WHEREAS:** The total federal amount requested in the grant application is \$25 million with a required non-federal match in the amount of \$6.25 million to come from existing committed state funds;
- WHEREAS:** The VRE Operations Board recommended NVTC and PRTC (the “Commissions”) authorize the VRE Chief Executive Officer to apply for funding; and
- WHEREAS:** Since neither Commission had a February meeting, the application was submitted by the February 24, 2026 deadline and will be withdrawn if the action is not approved.
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Northern Virginia Transportation Commission does hereby ratify VRE’s application, on behalf of the Commissions, to the U.S. Department of Transportation (USDOT) for a FY 2026 BUILD Grant for the VRE L’Enfant Station and 4th Track Improvements Project.
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that NVTC authorize the VRE Chief Executive Officer to make any necessary corrections to the project amount or descriptions in the application and to authorize the execution of all project funding agreements that may result from consideration of the project.

Approved this 5th day of March, 2026.



Maureen Coffey
Secretary-Treasurer



Sarah Bagley
Chair