



RESOLUTION OF COMMENDATION

SUBJECT: Commending the Honorable Paul Krizek on His Departure from NVTC

WHEREAS: The Northern Virginia Transportation Commission (NVTC) serves as the voice of public transit in Northern Virginia, promoting the region's transit network through effective and efficient public transit and ridesharing programs to foster economic vitality in the region and the Commonwealth;

WHEREAS: The Honorable Paul Krizek was appointed to NVTC in May 2020 and served on the Commission until February 2022;

WHEREAS: The Honorable Paul Krizek has served as a member of the House of Delegate since 2016, representing the 44th District which covers part of Fairfax County including the Mount Vernon area.

WHEREAS: During the 2020 and 2021 General Assembly Session, Delegate Krizek served as chair of the Appropriations – Transportation and Public Safety Subcommittee and under his leadership, he helped pass instrumental transportation funding legislation;

WHEREAS: During the 2020 General Assembly Session, Delegate Krizek voted for the landmark transportation bill (HB 1414) which modernized transportation funding and highway safety;

WHEREAS: During the 2021 General Assembly Session, Delegate Krizek was the chief patron of a budget amendment that allocated one-time general fund monies in FY 2022 to be allocated to the Northern Virginia Transportation Commission to be distributed using the current formula to localities to support Northern Virginia's FY 2022 operating obligation to Metrorail, Metrobus and MetroAccess services. Without these funds, the localities would have faced difficult budget decisions that could have threatened support for this important regional transportation service.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Northern Virginia Transportation Commission hereby commends the Honorable Paul Krizek for his service to the citizens of Northern Virginia and to the Commonwealth of Virginia.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that NVTC prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to the Honorable Paul Krizek as an expression of its gratitude and in appreciation for his work on the Commission in promoting and funding public transit and ridesharing in Northern Virginia.

Approved this 3rd day of March 2022.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Canek Aguirre", is written over a horizontal line.

Canek Aguirre
Chair