Arlington, VA – NVTC Vice Chairman Jeff McKay issued the following statement regarding Virginia Governor Terry McAuliffe’s I-66 compromise.

Today’s news of an amended plan for I-66 inside the Beltway reaffirms the importance of improved transit, carpooling and technology on the interstate and in the surrounding area to effectively address congestion in the entire corridor. The Commonwealth has stood behind its agreement to partner with the Northern Virginia Transportation Commission so that the revenues generated in this region will stay in this region. We share a commitment to increasing the number of people who can travel reliably through the region’s roadway network—including I-66, I-395, I-95 and the Beltway — whether by bus or rail or car.

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