NORTHERN VIRGINIA TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION RESOLUTION

Commending the Honorable Frank Wolf

Agreed to by the Northern Virginia Transportation Commission September 4, 2014

WHEREAS, the Honorable Frank Wolf will retire from public office in 2014; and

WHEREAS, Frank Wolf was first elected to the United States House of Representatives in 1980 and has represented the 10th District for 17 consecutive terms; and

WHEREAS, Congressman Wolf helped Northern Virginia grow into the economic engine of the Commonwealth and one of the premier transit corridors on the East Coast; and

WHEREAS, Congressman Wolf helped address transportation improvements in the region, from congestion relief on Interstate 66, to extending Metrorail to Dulles Airport and Loudoun County; and

WHEREAS, Congressman Wolf worked to improve morale and productivity by pushing federal agencies into the 21st century and adopt robust telework policies to reduce traffic congestion, save energy, improve air quality and provide cost savings to taxpayers; and

WHEREAS, Congressman Wolf led the effort to transfer control of Dulles and then-National airports from the federal government to a local authority, now called the Metropolitan Washington Airports Authority, which has led to Dulles becoming a gateway to the world and Reagan National becoming one of the premiere airports in the country; and

WHEREAS, Frank Wolf served Northern Virginia and the Northern Shenandoah Valley, the Commonwealth, and the nation with distinction.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Northern Virginia Transportation Commission hereby commends the Honorable Frank Wolf, a true statesman, on the occasion of his retirement from public office.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Chairman of the Northern Virginia Transportation Commission prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to the Honorable Frank Wolf as an expression of the Commission's admiration for his leadership and dedicated service to the Commonwealth and the nation.

Paul C. Smedberg, Chairman