RESOLUTION #2380

SUBJECT: Authorize the Executive Director to Initiate the I-395/95 Commuter Choice FY2020 Call for Projects

WHEREAS: The agreement between the Commonwealth and 95 Express Lanes LLC secured an annual payment for transit services of $15 million per year, escalating by 2.5 percent per year, to fund multimodal projects along the I-395/95 corridor;

WHEREAS: The Memorandum of Agreement adopted by the Northern Virginia Transportation Commission (NVTC) and the Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission (PRTC) in November 2017 and adopted by the Commonwealth Transportation Board (CTB) in December 2017, between the CTB, NVTC, PRTC, Department of Rail and Public Transportation (DRPT), and Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT) requires:

1. A request for projects from all jurisdictions that are members of either NVTC or PRTC and other public transportation providers providing service in those jurisdictions.
2. The selection and technical evaluation of projects by NVTC/PRTC, the development of a funding strategy for each proposed project, and the submission of each proposed project by NVTC/PRTC to the CTB.
3. NVTC/PRTC to hold a public hearing prior to NVTC/PRTC’s selection of projects for submission to the CTB.

WHEREAS: The Memorandum of Agreement between NVTC and PRTC for Distribution and Allocation of I-395 Annual Transit Investment Funds, adopted by both Commissions in January 2019, establishes that NVTC will administer the Commuter Choice program.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Northern Virginia Transportation Commission hereby authorizes the Executive Director to initiate a Call for Projects for the I-395/95 Commuter Choice FY2020 Inaugural Program.

Approved this 4th day of April 2019.

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