

August 27, 2020

TO: Chair Franklin and PRTC Commissioners

FROM: Robert A. Schneider, PhD Executive Director

SUBJECT: September 3, 2020 Commission Meeting Agenda Packet

On September 3, 2020, the PRTC Executive Committee will meet <u>in person</u> at the OmniRide Transit Center at 6:00 p.m. Social distancing guidelines will be in place. The Executive Committee consists of all officers of the Commission: Margaret Franklin, Chair; Pam Sebesky, Vice Chair; Cindy Shelton, Secretary; Deborah Frazier, Treasurer; Andrea Bailey, At-Large; and Jeanette Rishell, At-Large.

The September 3, 2020 regular monthly meeting of the full Commission will be held at the Transit Center beginning at 7:00 p.m. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, Commissioners will have the option to participate in the regular monthly meeting virtually by using Zoom or by attending in person at the Transit Center. In order to adhere to social distancing guidelines, available seating at the Transit Center is limited. <u>Please let us know as soon as possible if you plan to participate in person</u>. Electronic meetings in which a quorum is not physically assembled in one location are permissible when the Governor has declared a state of emergency and it is unsafe to assemble a quorum in a single location.

The Zoom meeting will be livestreamed over PRTC's YouTube channel, providing the public an opportunity to watch the meeting in real time. In lieu of holding public comment time during the meeting, the public will be able to submit any comments they have in writing. We will advertise the changes to the meeting in accordance with our Bylaws.

The September 3<sup>rd</sup> meeting agenda and supporting documents should be reviewed prior to the meeting. The materials are posted at <u>omniride.com/about/events/september-2020</u>. Print copies <u>will</u> <u>not</u> be mailed this month to help reduce the number of staff working from the Transit Center.

If you have any questions regarding the agenda or any other item in the online board meeting packet, please contact me at (703) 580-6117 or via email at <u>bschneider@omniride.com</u>.



# AGENDA

## Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission

Thursday, September 3, 2020 - 7:00 PM

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Electronic Meeting Live Streaming on YouTube.com/PRTCTransit Due to COVID-19 Pandemic and Pursuant to Commission Res. No. 20-05-01, May 7, 2020

- 1. CALL TO ORDER
- 2. INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- 3. ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL
- 4. APPROVAL OF AGENDA
- 4.1. APPROVE AGENDA SEPTEMBER 3, 2020 <u>Resolution to Approve September 3 2020 Agenda</u>

#### 5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

5.1. APPROVAL OF PRTC COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES - JULY 9, 2020 Resolution to Approve July 9, 2020 Board of Commissioner Meeting Minutes

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#### 8. CONSENT AGENDA

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#### **INFORMATION ITEMS**

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#### ITEM 1

Call to Order

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ITEM 2

**Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance** 

ITEM 3

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Attendance Roll Call

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ITEM 4.1 September 3, 2020 PRTC Regular Meeting Res. No. 20-09-\_\_\_\_

**MOTION:** 

SECOND:

RE: APPROVAL OF AGENDA – SEPTEMBER 3, 2020

ACTION:

**WHEREAS,** the Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission ("PRTC" or the "Commission") meets on a monthly basis and an agenda is presented to the Commission for review and approval.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission does hereby approve the agenda of September 3, 2020, as presented/amended.

<u>Votes</u>: Ayes: Abstain: Nays: Absent from Vote: Alternate Present Not Voting: Absent from Meeting:



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ITEM 5.1 September 3, 2020 PRTC Regular Meeting Res. No. 20-09-\_\_\_

MOTION:

SECOND:

RE: APPROVAL OF PRTC COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES FOR JULY 9, 2020

**ACTION:** 

**WHEREAS,** the Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission ("PRTC" or the "Commission") has had the opportunity to review the draft meeting minutes for July 9, 2020.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission does hereby approve the minutes of July 9, 2020 as presented/amended.

<u>Votes</u>: Ayes: Nays: Abstain: Absent from Vote: Alternate Present Not Voting: Absent from Meeting:



# MINUTES BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS MEETING

July 9, 2020 ZOOM Virtual Meeting Livestreamed at YouTube.com/PRTCtransit

#### Members Present

\*Victor Angry
\*Andrea Bailey, At-Large
\*Kenny Boddye (arrived 7:45 p.m.)
\*Margaret Franklin, Chair
\*Jeanine Lawson
\*Tinesha Allen (arrived 7:05 p.m.)
\*Pamela Sebesky, Vice Chair
\*Matthew Kelly
\*Deborah Frazier, Treasurer (arrived 7:05 p.m.)
\*Gary Skinner
\*Lee Carter
\*Elizabeth Guzman (arrived 7:05 p.m.)
\*George Barker

#### Members Absent

Yesli Vega Cindy Shelton, Secretary Jeanette Rishell, At-Large Jennifer Mitchell

#### Alternates Present

\*Bennie Smith \*Meg Bohmke Ralph Smith \*Donald Shuemaker \*Todd Horsley

#### Alternates Absent

Ann Wheeler Pete Candland Maggie Hansford Gary Snellings Preston Banks Hector Cendejas Jason Graham Tim McLaughlin David Ross Jennifer DeBruhl Steve Pittard Jurisdiction Prince William County Stafford County City of Manassas City of Fredericksburg Spotsylvania County Spotsylvania County Virginia House of Delegates Virginia House of Delegates Virginia Senate

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\*Voting Member

Arrivals/departures following the commencement of the PRTC Commission Board Meeting are notated with the arrival/departure time.

#### Staff and Public on ZOOM

Dr. Robert A. Schneider, PhD – PRTC Doris Lookabill – PRTC Charles Steigerwald – PRTC Perrin Palistrant – PRTC Carl Roeser - PRTC Christine Rodrigo – PRTC Becky Merriner – PRTC Aline Frantzen - Keolis Mike Ake - Keolis Bryan Jungwirth - Keolis Rich Dalton – VRE Ben Owen – NVTC Sharon Pandak – Greehan, Taves & Pandak

Chair Franklin called the meeting to order at 7:01 p.m. and said that due to the COVID-19 pandemic and pursuant to PRTC Commission Resolution No. 20-05-01, this meeting of the PRTC Board of Commissioners is being conducted remotely. Public access for this meeting is being provided via livestreaming on PRTC's YouTube channel. The public was given notice on PRTC's website, Facebook, at the Transit Center, and in InsideNova and the Free Lance-Star. The Chair then read an announcement detailing procedures for the electronic meeting.

Chair Franklin announced that Delegate Lee Carter and Delegate Elizabeth Guzman have been officially appointed to the PRTC Board, and that Senator George Barker has been reappointed to the Board. Invocation, Pledge of Allegiance, and Roll Call followed.

Commissioner Allen, Commissioner Frazier, and Commissioner Guzman arrived at 7:05 p.m.

#### <u>Approval of Agenda – 4 [RES 20-07-01]</u>

Commissioner Bailey moved with a second by Commissioner Angry. There was no discussion on the motion. (BAILEY/ANGRY, UNANIMOUS)

#### Approval of Minutes of June 4, 2020- 5 [RES 20-07-02]

Commissioner Barker moved with a second by Commissioner Sebesky. There was no discussion on the motion. (BARKER/SEBESKY; BOHMKE ABSTAINED; UNANIMOUS)

#### Virginia Railway Express Acting Chief Executive Officer's Time – 6

- VRE continues to operate at a reduced service level. Ridership increased from about 620 per day in early June to about 1000 per day at the end of June. Trains will be lengthened and added as ridership increases to help maintain social distancing.
- June on-time-performance was at 93% system wide, the same rate as in May.
- Efforts continued in June to welcome returning riders, place signage for social distancing, enhance cleaning, and place hand sanitizer dispensers at stations and on trains.
- There's nearly 100% compliance with the requirement for passengers to wear face coverings, and staff has face coverings available for riders who may not have one.
- There is daily messaging including social media and direct communications to provide information to riders.
- Staff continues to work remotely with all business functions fully operational.
- In coming weeks, members can expect to see preliminary information about FY20 year-end financial results. Staff continues its FY21 scenario planning and is refining projections for ridership, revenues and expenses, which will be shared at a later date.

#### Public Comment Time – 7

The Chair explained no public comments would be received during the virtual meeting; however, the public was advised to submit written comments to the Board Clerk by July 8 at 5 p.m. No comments were received.

#### Consent Agenda – 8 [RES 20-07-03]

Commissioner Kelly moved with a second by Commissioner Angry. There was no discussion on the motion. (KELLY/ANGRY, UNANIMOUS)

- Acceptance of the PRTC Monthly Jurisdictional Financial Report for the Period Ended April 30, 2020 [RES 20-07-04]
- <u>Authorization to Budget and Appropriate the City of Fredericksburg's Motor Fuels Tax Funds for</u> <u>Various Transportation Projects [RES 20-07-05]</u>

#### PRTC Executive Director's Time – 9

Dr. Schneider updated the Board on the following items:

#### COVID-19 Response and Update

- Express service has returned to a Friday service level on each weekday, which is about 85% of pre-COVID weekday service. There have been minor ridership increases each week since June, recovering 8-10% of lost ridership, and is hopeful that the continued re-opening of Virginia in Phase 3 with no additional waves results in more passengers returning.
- Ridership and revenues will continue to present challenges until traffic volume and/or parking capacity become issues.
- Local services continue to operate fare-free to reduce dwell time and decrease risk of exposure to COVID-19. Commuter services are cashless and are likely to remain that way for the foreseeable future.
- The next benchmark for ridership recovery will be the post-Labor Day ridership rates as schools, employers, and workforces respond to the virus and telework models become more entrenched. We will also have more concrete data on fuel tax revenues and will begin preparing for longer-term responsiveness to trends and demands.

#### Employee/Passenger Safety

- We remain focused on cleaning.
- Staff was at several of the larger park and ride lots this week to thank passengers and answer their questions. Feedback from riders was good; they appreciate the operators who have been on the road each day.
- The OmniRide lobby reopened only for customer questions and the passenger vestibule reopened for riders who are waiting for a bus. Floor decals and Plexiglas protective panels have been added in the lobby.
- Virginia Workplace Safety Mandates
  - We're focused on signage and reminders for distancing, and have placed wipes and sanitizer throughout the facility.
  - We are evaluating employee responsibilities and re-evaluating positions that can be longerterm telework, in-office and hybrid systems. We have provided employees with back-to-work training and materials, including instructions for daily self-assessments for COVID-19 symptoms and protocols.

#### Passenger Rail Authority Update

 Nine names and resumes from PRTC jurisdiction members were forwarded to DRPT for the Virginia Passenger Rail Authority. At this time, no action has been taken. All resumes will be forwarded to the Commissioners. Please note that individuals could independently submit names outside of this process.

#### Federal Legislative Update

• There has been no significant news in federal policy for COVID-19; however, the most recent federal legislation for transit is the INVEST act, a five-year surface transportation legislation that includes \$105 billion for transit, \$29 billion for Amtrak, and is expected to be considered by the full House in early July. The major impact would be on the level of funding for capital assets and would impact both

VRE and OmniRide funding. This is exclusive of any COVID-19 funding we have received and also—at this stage—exclusive of any future COVID-19 assistance.

#### Chuck Steigerwald's Final Meeting

• Chuck Steigerwald is retiring in August after 20 years at PRTC in many roles. He joins two other 2020 retirees, Sun Amacker from the Finance Department and Leon Jordan of the Quality Assurance department. Leon retired just two weeks ago after 25 years at the organization and 20 years as a PRTC employee. We're fortunate to have had their leadership, their friendship, and wish them the best.

Chair Franklin thanked Mr. Steigerwald for his service, wished him luck and asked if there were questions about Dr. Schneider's report.

Commissioner Horsley noted he has no update on the Passenger Rail Authority Appointments, but there may be an update at the VRE Operations Board meeting on July 17.

Commissioner Shuemaker asked how long the local buses would be fare-free. Dr. Schneider replied the next evaluation will take place around Labor Day. Fare boxes are located next to the bus operator, so offering free fares is a safety measure to reduce interactions between the operator and passengers. It also helps to ensure that COVID-19 doesn't enter the building via cash, Dr. Schneider said, adding that staff will look at things like mobile ticketing in a more expedited manner. Commissioner Shuemaker said free fares encourage ridership and enable riders to become familiar with where the bus goes.

#### Presentations and Information – 10

#### I-395/95 Commuter Choice Program

Ben Owen, Commuter Choice Senior Program Manager at the Northern Virginia Transportation Commission, presented an overview of the I-395/95 Commuter Choice Program.

The first round of projects was implemented last fall along with the opening of the I-395 Express Lanes. Toll revenues come from Transurban, the Express Lanes concessionaire. NVTC expects full funding of about \$30 - \$35 million for the upcoming program because the payment is a term of Transurban's master agreement with the Commonwealth to operate the Express Lanes. The upcoming call for projects covers fiscal years 2022 and 2023. Member jurisdictions and transit providers along that corridor are eligible to apply for funds.

Both PRTC and NVTC are being asked to appoint three Commissioners each to the Joint Commission Working Group, which serves as an intermediary between the full Commissions and program participants.

Commissioner Lawson asked how the pandemic will impact the concessionaire payment. Mr. Owen replied that a full payment is anticipated despite lower toll revenues.

In response to a question from Commissioner Bailey, Mr. Owen said the current plan is to offer an introductory briefing to members of the Joint Commission Working Group in mid-to-late August.

Commissioner Skinner said he was a member of the Working Group last year and wondered if briefings could be held before mid-to-late August. Mr. Owen replied that there was some flexibility.

Chair Franklin said she is looking for three Commissioners to volunteer for the Joint Working Group. Mr. Owen said he'd like for the members to be identified within the next week or two. Chair Franklin asked those interested to email herself or Dr. Schneider by July 17. Commissioner Skinner said if no one else from Stafford or Fredericksburg wants to represent the southern portion, he would be willing to serve.

Commissioner Boddye arrived at 7:45 p.m.

#### Transit Strategic Plan and Transportation Demand Management Plan

Chuck Steigerwald, OmniRide's Chief Development Officer, presented an overview of PRTC's Transit Strategic Plan and Transportation Demand Management Plan.

The Public Participation Process for these two plans is the last piece of the Strategic Plan process which began in May 2016. Staff would like to have feedback from the Public Participation Process in time to return to the Commission in September for adoption of the plans. OmniRide's focus then would shift to implementing the plans and performing annual plan updates, Mr. Steigerwald said.

Commissioner Horsley noted these plans are required by DRPT and also were mandated by the General Assembly in 2018. DRPT has always required agencies to do a Transit Development Plan (TDP), but in 2018 the decision was made to ask the larger transit agencies for more planning due to new legislation and guidelines. Although PRTC was in the early phases of its TDP update, it volunteered to transition to a Transit Strategic Plan once the guidelines were created. DRPT appreciates all the work that PRTC put into the plan, Commission Horsley said. He also congratulated Mr. Steigerwald on his retirement and said the DRPT staff will miss him.

Commissioner Bailey thanked Mr. Steigerwald for the update and wished him well.

Commissioner Boddye apologized for being late to the PRTC meeting due to a Town Hall meeting and said our transit system is important to constituents and he's looking forward to seeing these plans implemented.

Commissioner Lawson thanked Mr. Steigerwald for his service to the community. She pointed out that growth is anticipated in the Manassas area due to plans to expand George Mason University's campus at Innovation and asked why the TSP doesn't anticipate new bus services in that area until 2027. Mr. Steigerwald replied that's due to projected revenue sources and the fact that development is anticipated but not assured. Annual updates to the plans will allow staff to make changes as conditions change.

Commissioner Sebesky said she appreciates Mr. Steigerwald's work on the Strategic Plan and his service to the organization and community.

Commissioner Shuemaker asked if there's been thought of realigning western OmniRide Express routes in light of the planned Route 28 expansion. Using a Manassas Park VRE parking garage as a commuter hub would provide options for residents in the Route 28 corridor, Commissioner Shuemaker said. Mr. Steigerwald said any I-66 corridor expansion plans have been identified based on the Transform66 project as that will be the main funding source. Previous thoughts about operating routes to areas in the Route 28 corridor were removed from plans in order to concentrate on existing services and take advantage of the new Express Lanes and associated infrastructure such as new park and ride lots along I-66. In order to operate new service in the Route 28 corridor, PRTC would need to identify a funding source and be assured about the reliability of travel times on the roadway, Mr. Steigerwald said.

Commissioner Shuemaker said many commuters are traveling between suburbs and they have no transit options. He then clarified that when discussing bus services on Route 28, staff may not have to find new funding but could take some funding from routes that operate along Sudley Road and shift it to the Route 28 corridor. Mr. Steigerwald said that's a possibility but added that OmniRide's Gainesville buses couldn't be rerouted because they are close to capacity and they'd lose the time advantage by operating along Route 28. The trip-making pattern is more varied in the I-66 corridor than in the I-95 corridor, he added.

Chair Franklin said some comments have been submitted regarding I-66, Route 28, the Transit Strategic Plan, and Transportation Demand Management Plan.

Commissioner Kelly said traditionally the focus has always been on the bus system and VRE, but very little is said regarding vanpools and slugging. He asked Mr. Steigerwald to share his thoughts about the importance of vanpools and slugging from a performance measure standpoint. Mr. Steigerwald said no one knows how many people slug, but prior census attempts put the figure at 10,000 individuals in the I-95 corridor. It's a major activity and he believes there are more passenger trips via slugging than people who ride on OmniRide buses or VRE trains in the I-95 corridor. On the I-66 corridor, slugging is virtually non-existent. Formally measuring slugging's impact would be valuable, but would take a significant effort.

Turning to vanpooling, Mr. Steigerwald said Vanpool Alliance has created a database of any measurable data points one would want. The impact of vanpools for traffic mitigation is similar to slugging but vanpools fill a different niche. Vanpools are particularly suited for long-distance commutes and for serving locations that transit can't because they're isolated or secure. Commissioner Kelly thanked Mr. Steigerwald for his service and noted that the Board tends to focus on buses and trains but should remember there are other options that have a significant impact on moving people.

Chair Franklin said she'd like the plans to be available in additional languages other than English and Spanish because Prince William County is incredibly diverse. She then asked Mr. Steigerwald to address how PRTC will encourage slugging in the I-66 corridor since the Board recently rejected a proposal to use grant funding for that purpose. Mr. Steigerwald said staff will help assist with the promotion of I-66 slugging.

#### **Operations and Maintenance Contract Structure and Development**

Dr. Schneider presented an overview of the Operations and Maintenance Contract structure and development. The staff recommendation is to award the contract to Keolis Transit America, which also is the provider for VRE's Maintenance and Operations. This is a five-year base contract, with five option years that can be exercised in any combination. Keolis will begin on November 1, 2020. Near universal hiring of First Transit employees is expected, if they are interested in remaining under the OmniRide service brand.

Chair Franklin welcomed Aline Frantzen, CEO of Keolis Transit America, along with Mr. Bryan Jungwirth and Mr. Mike Ake of Keolis Transit America, all of whom participated in the virtual meeting. Chair Franklin said she was happy to hear that current First Transit employees will have the opportunity to stay at OmniRide if they choose. Chair Franklin said she expects to see a new culture with this new contract.

Commissioner Guzman said she's excited for a brighter future for bus services in Prince William County and asked for more information about paratransit including the use of taxis. Dr. Schneider replied that OmniRide has been using taxi vouchers for the Wheels-to-Wellness program. The use of transit networking companies such as Uber wasn't a transit option in 2013 when PRTC last revised its contract with First Transit. OmniRide's vision is to better serve the community and be more flexible. In eastern Prince William County the three focal points are Lake Ridge, the Route 1 corridor, and Dale Boulevard. Although the majority of services are provided in these three areas, there are pockets outside these three that also are important. OmniRide wants to partner with experienced firms that can help us deliver flexible services, but that won't eliminate the need for fixed bus routes, Dr. Schneider said.

Commissioner Guzman said that as a resident of eastern Prince William, she hasn't seen services increased in the area, and she doesn't want bus service to be replaced with Uber or Lyft.

Chair Franklin said Commissioner Guzman's question complements the previous presentation on the Transit Strategic Plan and Transportation Demand Management Plan noting that OmniRide is looking to increase services in the Route 234 corridor.

Commissioner Boddye welcomed Keolis and echoed Chair Franklin's comments about tweaking the tone of the bus contractor's management and leadership. He asked if Keolis has engaged yet with the AFSCME union

and if that's in the plans. Mr. Bryan Jungwirth of Keolis said Keolis has copies of the current Collective Bargaining Agreement and intends to honor all the provisions. Keolis will reach out to the union once the PRTC contract is executed.

Commissioner Angry said he is focused on the bus drivers because they're the ones who make the operation work and is pleased to hear that the contractual agreements worked out with the union will be honored.

Regarding Commissioner Guzman's question, Commissioner Angry noted that Uber can be helpful with serving the first- and last-mile and asked if that's being discussed. Dr. Schneider said the single biggest challenge is funding, but OmniRide is committed to protecting local services, whereas in the past that was the first victim of budget cuts. The pandemic has been unique because local services have outperformed commuter services nationwide, he said.

Commissioner Angry told Dr. Schneider there may be a pilot program for a dedicated bus lane along Dale Boulevard.

Commissioner Lawson recalled that OmniRide has had "rogue" buses in the past and said she's excited about the advancements in technology to address emergencies like that in this contract.

Commissioner Bailey said she's encouraged that existing employees will have the opportunity to remain at OmniRide, and she encouraged incentive programs to build employee morale.

Commissioner Sebesky echoed comments about looking forward to Keolis examining the need for changes and improving morale.

Commissioner Kelly said he's dealt with Keolis over the years through the VRE Operations Board and looks forward to having a good relationship.

Commissioner Skinner said PRTC is lucky to get Keolis on board and he looks forward to now working with them on the bus side.

#### PRTC Action Items – 11

#### Authorization to Execute a Contract with Keolis Transit America to Provide Fixed Route Bus and Paratrasit Operations and Maintenance Services [RES 20-07-06]

Commissioner Bailey moved, with a second by Commissioner Boddye. Commissioner Shuemaker asked what contract protections are in place to protect OmniRide given the poor past performance of VRE that resulted in the former VRE Executive Director leaving. Dr. Schneider said there are protections in place and that VRE's problems were directly related to Positive Train Control. OmniRide's top issue is tied to traffic congestion, accidents and construction, not fleet performance. There are contract deductions for issues that affect service such as not meeting vehicle inspections, unclean vehicles, missed trips, etc., Dr. Schneider said. OmniRide's Quality Assurance department does regular audits and inspections. There also are rewards for good performance. (BAILEY/BODDYE; AYES - 16; NAYS – 1 (CARTER); APPROVED)

#### <u>Authorization to Commence the Public Participation Process for the Transit Strategic Plan and the</u> <u>Transportation Demand Management Plan [RES 20-07-07]</u>

Commissioner Barker moved, with a second by Commissioner Bailey. There was no discussion. (BARKER/ BAILEY, UNANIMOUS)

Concurrence with the City of Fredericksburg's VRE Operations Board Appointments [RES 20-07-08]

Commissioner Angry moved, with a second by Commissioner Skinner. There was no discussion. (ANGRY/SKINNER, UNANIMOUS)

#### Chair's Time - 12

Chair Franklin congratulated Keolis and said she's looking forward to a new culture and transparency in how business is conducted with safety of passengers being the top concern. She also thanked Mr. Steigerwald for his passion for transportation and years of service at OmniRide. Finally she thanked the Commissioners and participants for their patience and dedication at meetings.

#### Commissioners' Time - 13

Many Commissioners welcomed Keolis and thanked Chuck for his years of service.

Commissioner Shuemaker said bus service is important for riders especially seniors and people who don't have access to vehicles. He also pointed out two typos in the Keolis contract. Ms. Sharon Pandak of Greehan, Taves & Pandak and said the typos would be fixed.

Commissioner Kelly said Keolis overcame significant challenges when they started operating VRE, and many of VRE's then-delays were self-inflicted. Since then, delays have not been due to Keolis, but to the track owners, heat restrictions, track congestion and Positive Train Control.

Commissioner Skinner reiterated Commissioner Kelly's statement and said the VRE problems were not due to Keolis. Keolis and VRE are working together and Keolis has a great working relationship with CSX.

Commissioner Guzman said that as a new appointee to PRTC, she looks forward to working with everyone over the coming years.

#### <u>Adjournment – 14</u>

There being no further business to come before the Commission, Chair Franklin entertained a motion to adjourn. Commissioner Angry moved, with a second by Commissioner Boddye. There was no discussion. (ANGRY/BODDYE, UNANIMOUS)

Chair Franklin said the next PRTC meeting will be in September and in person.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:11 p.m.

#### Information Items

None

#### Virginia Railway Express (VRE) Acting Chief Executive Officer's Time

- 6.1 Acting Chief Executive Officer's Report August 2020
- 6.2 Authorize Closed Meeting of the Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission
- 6.3 Certify Closed Meeting of the Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission
- 6.4 <u>VRE Information Items:</u> VRE Monthly Update July 17, 2020 Operations Board Meeting Agenda – Minutes - Resolutions Key FY2022 Budget Issues Spending Authority Report

ITEM 6.1 September 3, 2020 PRTC Regular Meeting

# CEO REPORT AUGUST 2020

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# OUR NISSION

The Virginia Railway Express, a joint project of the Northern Virginia Transportation Commission and the Potomac Rappahannock Transportation Commission, will provide safe, cost-effective, accessible, reliable, convenient, and customer responsive commuter-oriented rail passenger service. VRE contributes to the economic vitality of its member jurisdictions as an integral part of a balanced, intermodal regional transportation system.

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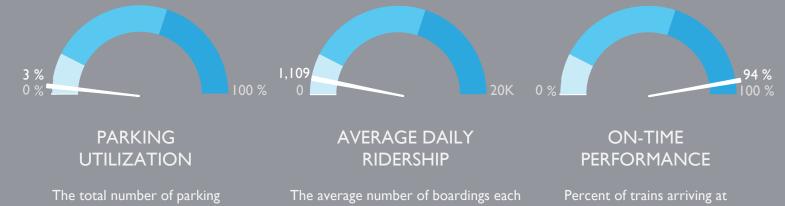
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spaces used in the VRE system during the month, divided by the total number of parking spaces available.

The average number of boardings each operating day inclusive of Amtrak Step-Up boardings and reduced, "S" schedule, service. Same month, previous year: 19,001

Percent of trains arriving at their destination within five minutes of the schedule. Same month, previous year: 61%



#### SYSTEM CAPACITY

The percent of peak hour train seats occupied. The calculation excludes reverse flow and non-peak hour trains.



#### OPERATING RATIO Through June 2020

Operating revenues, such as fares and advertising, divided by departmental expenses reflect the percentage of operating costs covered by such revenues. Budgeted operating ratio: 52%

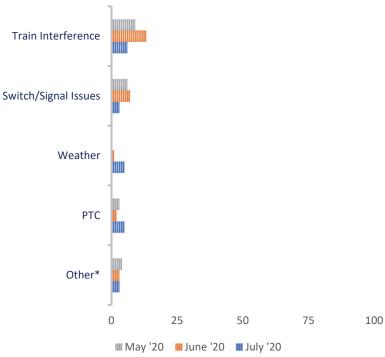
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# **ON-TIME PERFORMANCE**

#### OUR RECORD

	July 2020	June 2020	July 2019
Manassas Line	95%	89%	70%
Fredericksburg Line	93%	97%	53%
Systemwide	94%	93%	61%

#### PRIMARY REASON FOR DELAY



\*Includes trains that were delayed due to operational testing and passenger handling.

VRE operated 346 trains in July. Our on-time rate for July was 94 percent.

Twenty-two trains arrived more than 5 minutes late to their final destinations. Of those late trains, nine were on the Manassas Line (41 percent), and 13 were on the Fredericksburg Line (59 percent).

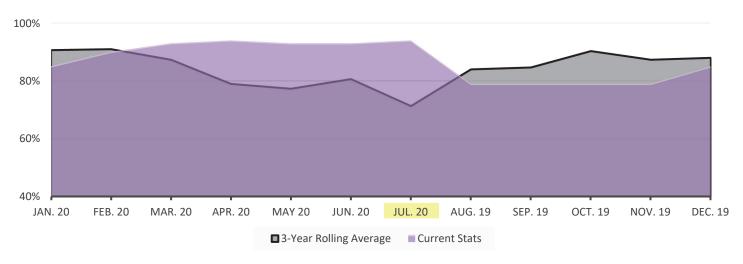
On-time performance continues to be strong, with both lines coming in over 90 percent in July. Despite the reduction in freight and passenger traffic, train interference continues to be the largest contributor to VRE delays.

	System Wide			Fredericksburg Line			Manassas Line		
	May	June	July	May	June	July	May	June	July
Total late trains	22	25	22	10	6	13	12	19	9
Average minutes late	41	14	16	58	21	18	28	11	12
Number over 30 minutes	8	2	3	5	2	2	3	0	I
Heat restrictions	I	15	20	I	15	20	0	0	0

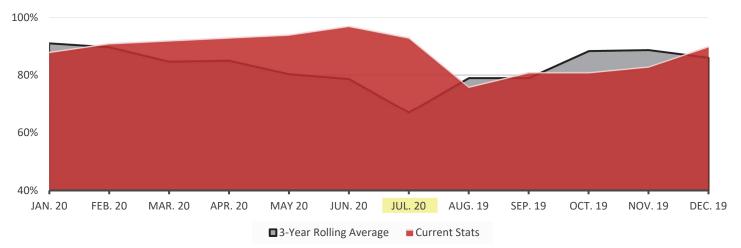
#### LATE TRAINS

#### **ON-TIME PERFORMANCE**

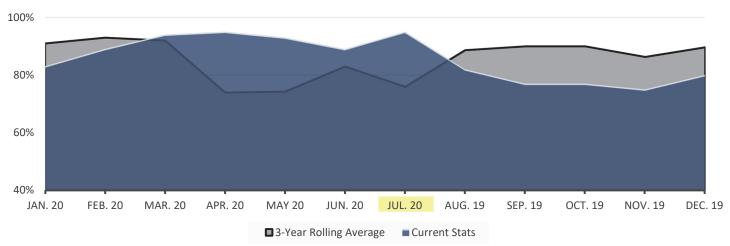
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# MANASSAS LINE

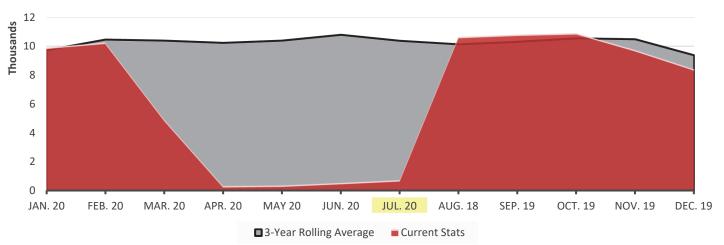


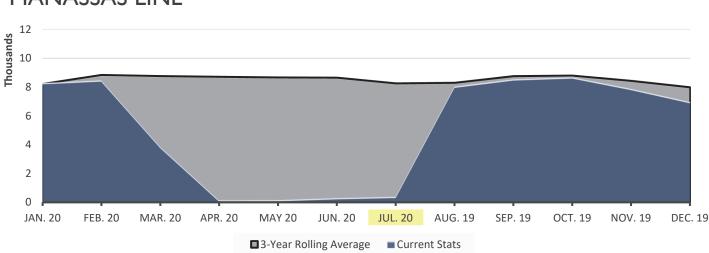
# AVERAGE DAILY RIDERSHIP

**VRE SYSTEM** 

20 Thousands 16 12 8 4 0 JAN. 20 APR. 20 JUL. 20 AUG. 19 OCT. 19 NOV. 19 DEC. 19 FEB. 20 MAR. 20 **MAY 20** JUN. 20 SEP. 19 ■ 3-Year Rolling Average Current Stats

# FREDERICKSBURG LINE



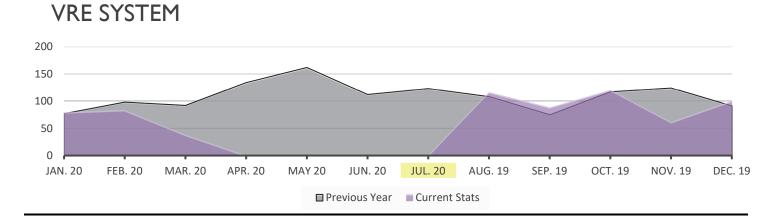


# MANASSAS LINE

#### AUGUST 2020 RIDERSHIP UPDATES

		July 2020	June 2020	July 2019
approximately 1,100. ADR for the month was up from June (825) as we now run on the "S" Schedule Plus (which adds trains 300 and 307 to service)	Monthly Ridership	23,287	18,093	418,029
	Average Daily Ridership	1,109	822	19,001
	Full Service Days	0	0	22
	"S" Service Days	21	22	0

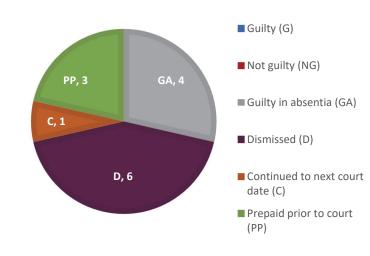
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### SUMMONSES WAIVED OUTSIDE OF COURT

## MONTHLY SUMMONSES COURT ACTION

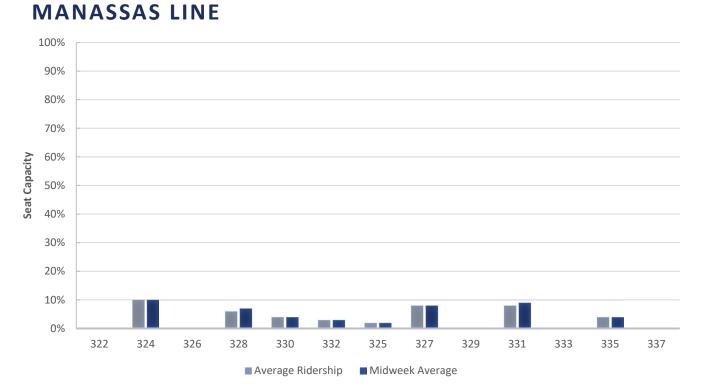
Reason for Dismissal	Occurrences
Passenger showed proof of a monthly ticket	0
One-time courtesy	0
Per the request of the conductor	0
Defective ticket	0
Per ops manager	0
Unique circumstances	0
Insufficient information	0
Lost and found ticket	0
Other	0
Total Waived	0



# TRAIN UTILIZATION

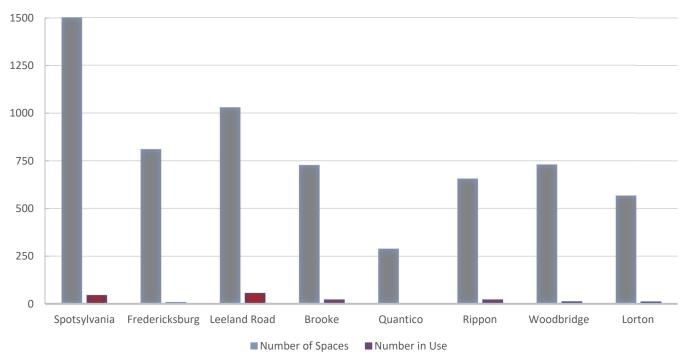
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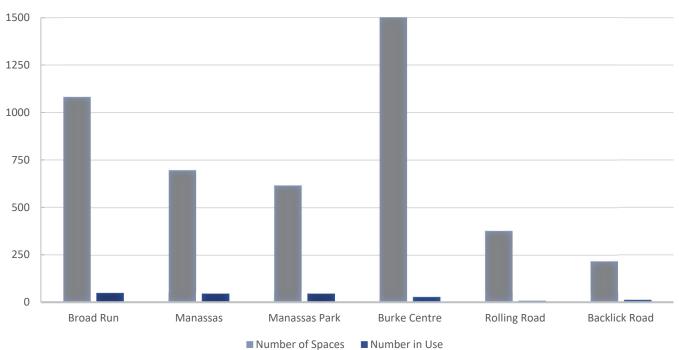
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# PARKING UTILIZATION



## FREDERICKSBURG LINE

MANASSAS LINE



# FINANCIAL REPORT FOR JUNE 2020

Due to the end of the fiscal-year finance audit, the financial report does not appear this month. The reports for July and fiscal year 2020 will appear in the September CEO Report.

# FACILITIES UPDATE

The following is a status update of VRE facilities projects.

#### Completed projects:

I. Replacement of existing lighting with LED fixtures at Crossroads MASF service & inspection and train wash buildings

2. Installation of hand sanitizer dispensers and associated decal signage at all stations except Union Station

3. Installation of additional hand sanitizer dispensers at Alexandria headquarters

4. Installation of public notice signage for Alexandria pedestrian tunnel project in coordination with VRE Office of Development

#### Projects scheduled to be completed this quarter:

- I. Replacement of timber pedestrian crossing at Quantico Station
- 2. Submission of IFB package for canopy roof replacement at Backlick Road Station
- 3. Submission of IFB package for replacement of tactile warning strips at various stations

4. Submission of IFB package for overhaul of emergency generators at Woodbridge and Manassas stations, Alexandria headquarters and Fredericksburg office

#### Projects scheduled to be initiated this quarter:

I. Issuance of GEC task orders for design of minor structural repairs at Franconia-Springfield,

Woodbridge, Rippon, Brooke and Manassas Stations

- 2. Repair of minor cracks in west platform at Woodbridge Station
- 3. Repair of platform sealer delamination at Spotsylvania Station
- 4. Cleaning of storm drainage systems in Woodbridge and Manassas parking garages

#### Ongoing projects:

- I. Design of waiting area at L'Enfant Station
- 2. Replacement of signage at Franconia-Springfield, Woodbridge and Leeland Road stations
- 3. Replacement of waste and recycling receptacles at various stations
- 4. Design of renovations to Alexandria headquarters



Public signage notice for Alexandria pedestrian tunnel



Public signage notice for Alexandria pedestrian tunnel

# **UPCOMING PROCUREMENTS**

- Program management services
- Canopy roof replacement at the Backlick Road Station
- Modernization of VRE Woodbridge Station east elevator
- Passenger car wheelchair lift assemblies
- Purchase of LED light fixtures
- Construction of L'Enfant south storage track wayside power
- Variable Messaging System replacement
- Tactile strip replacements
- Pavement repairs and striping at the Rippon and Leeland Road stations and Fredericksburg Lot G
- Franconia-Springfield Station painting services
- Purchase of forklift trucks
- Final design services for VRE Broad Run expansion
- · Renewal of locomotive head end power engine systems
- · Overhaul of emergency generators
- Headquarters renovations

# CAPITAL PROJECTS UPDATES

The following is a status update of VRE capital projects.

#### Completed projects or major project milestones:

- Long Bridge Project (study by others) DRPT issued a RFP for architectural/engineering consulting services, with proposals due August 4. DDOT and FRA expect to publish the final environmental impact statement this summer.
- 2. New Washington Union Station Improvements (*study by others*) FRA released the Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS) and Draft Section 4(f) Evaluation for comment from agencies and the public on June 4. Two telephonic public hearings took place on July 14.

#### Projects or project phases scheduled to be completed this quarter:

- 3. Franconia-Springfield Station Improvements draft 90% complete plans
- 4. Lorton Station Second Platform design close-out is underway
- 5. Rippon Station Improvements revised preliminary design plans
- 6. Brooke Station Improvements revised preliminary design plans
- 7. Leeland Road Station Improvements revised preliminary design plans
- 8. Broad Run Expansion (BRX) Section 106 Consultation
- 9. Construction of Benchmark Road Slope Stabilization (Hamilton to Crossroads closeout)

#### Projects or project phases scheduled to be initiated this quarter:

- 10. IFB for construction of Quantico Station Improvements
- 11. IFB for construction of Lifecycle Overhaul & Upgrade Facility (LOU)
- 12. IFB for construction of Rolling Road Station Improvements
- 13. Request for proposals (RFP) advertised for LOU Construction Management

#### Ongoing projects:

- 14. Broad Run Expansion (BRX)
- 15. Manassas Park Parking Improvements
- 16. Rolling Road Station Improvements
- 17. Crossroads Maintenance and Storage Facility (MSF) land acquisition completed
- 18. Lifecycle Overhaul & Upgrade Facility (LOU)
- 19. Benchmark Road Slope Stabilization (Hamilton to Crossroads closeout)
- 20. Leeland Road Station Improvements
- 21. Brooke Station Improvements
- 22. Quantico Station Improvements
- 23. Rippon Station Improvements
- 24. Franconia-Springfield Station Improvements
- 25. Alexandria Station Improvements
- 26. Alexandria Station Track I Access (Slaters Lane)
- 27. Crystal City Station Improvements
- 28. L'Enfant Train Storage Track South
- 29. L'Enfant Station Improvements
- 30. New York Avenue Midday Storage Facility
- 31. Potomac Shores VRE Station design by others
- 32. Washington Union Station Improvements Environmental Impact Statement study by others
- 33. DC2RVA Environmental Impact Statement study by others
- 34. Long Bridge Project study by others
- 35. Washington Union Station Improvements Environmental Impact Statement study by others

#### **Projects Progress Report Follows**

PASSENGER		PHASE						
PROJECT	DESCRIPTION	CD	PE	EC	RW	FD	CN	
Alexandria Station Improvements	Eliminate at-grade track crossing, add elevators, modify platforms.	٠	٠	٠	N/A	٠		
	Modify Slaters Lane Interlocking for passenger trains on Track #1.	٠	٠	٠	N/A	•		
	Extend and widen East Platform and elevate West Platform.	٠	٠	٠	N/A	•		
Franconia-Springfield Station	Extend both platforms and widen							
Improvements	East Platform for future third track.	•	٠	٠	N/A	•		
Lorton Station Improvements	Construct new second platform with pedestrian overpass. À	٠	٠	٠	N/A	•		
Rippon Station Improvements	Extend existing platform, construct new second platform with pedestrian overpass. À	٠	•	•	N/A			
Potomac Shores Station Improvements		٠	•	٠	N/A			
Quantico Station Improvements	Extend existing platform, construct new second platform with pedestrian overpass.	•	•	•	N/A	•		
Brooke Station Improvements	Extend existing platform, construct new second platform with pedestrian overpass. À	•	•	•	N/A			
Leeland Road Station Improvements	Extend existing platform, construct new second platform with pedestrian overpass. À	•	•	•	N/A			
Manassas Park Parking Improvements	Parking garage to increase parking capacity to 1,100 spaces.	٠	٠	•	N/A			
Rolling Road Station Improvements	Extend existing platform and rehabilitate existing station	٠	٠	٠	N/A	٠	٠	
Crystal City Station Improvements	Replace existing side platform with new, longer island platform.	٠	•	•	N/A			
L'Enfant Station Improvements	Replace existing platform with wider, longer island platform. Add fourth track (VA-LE)	٠			N/A			

PHASE: CD - Conceptual Design PE - Preliminary Engineering EC - Environment Clearance RW - Right of Way Acquisition FD - Final Design CN - Construction

STATUS: u Completed | Underway n On Hold À part of the "Penta-Platform" program

<sup>1</sup> Total project cost estimate in adopted FY2020 CIP Budget; percentage complete based on VRE Operations Board authorization

<sup>2</sup> Does not include minor (< \$50,000) operating expenditures

\* \$2,181,630 authorization divided across five "Penta-Platform" program stations

ESTIMATED COSTS (\$)								STATUS
Total <sup>1</sup>	Funded	Unfunded	Authorized	Expended <sup>2</sup>	Percent Complete <sup>l</sup>	Project Completion Date		
31,875,014	31,875,014	-	2,382,759	2,193,257	90%	4th QTR 2020		Design underway. CSX and City of Alexandria review progressing.
7,000,000	7,000,000	-	467,500	270,487	60%	2nd QTR 2019		Materials continue to be delivered. Assembly of cross-over has begun.
2,400,000	400,000	2,000,000	-	-	5%	4th QTR 2020		Design work on east platform only; west platform improvements unfunded.
13,000,000	13,000,000	-	*	612,756	35%	4th QTR 2022		FD underway with anticipated completion 4th QTR 2020. Ongoing coordination with DRPT projects.
16,150,000	16,150,000	-	*	805,605	30%	4th QTR 2022		FD underway with anticipated completion 4th QTR 2020. Ongoing coordination with DRPT projects.
16,634,793	16,634,793	-	*	397,897	20%	4th QTR 2023		PE design/EC anticipated completion 4th QTR 2020. Ongoing coordination with DRPT projects.
Ν	lo costs for VRE.	Private develope	r providing statior	1.	10%	TBD	•	Potomac Shores VRE Station design underway to include parking structure. 60% Re-Design Submittal received and under review by CSX and VRE.
18,372,949	18,372,949	0	830,833	683,892	60%	TBD		SMART SCALE grant agreement pending FD completion and Construction Procurement anticipated 2nd Quarter 2020.
23,391,019	23,391,019	-	*	392,814	20%	4th QTR 2023		DRPT LONP received; REF grant pending. PE design/EC anticipated completion 4th QTR 2020. Ongoing coordination with DRPT projects.
15,527,090	15,527,090	-	*	365,142	20%	4th QTR 2023		DRPT LONP received; REF grant pending. PE design/EC anticipated completion 4th QTR 2020. Ongoing coordination with DRPT projects.
25,983,000	25,983,000	0	2,238,144	670,225	30%	4th QTR 2022		Evaluating City of Manassas Park relocation request.
5,000,000	2,000,000	3,000,000	640,503	418,887	70%	3rd QTR 2021		Invitation for Bids (IFB) issued on 8/14/2020.
49,940,000	19,098,463	30,841,537	1,584,619	397,848	30%	2nd QTR 2024		PE & EC initiated in Oct 2019 and anticipated completion 3rd QTR 2020.
70,650,000	62,465,721	8,184,279	130,501	65,150	50%	2nd QTR 2023		DRPT LONP received. Real estate research in progress under LONP.

TRACK AND INFRASTRUCTURE				PH	IASE		
PROJECT	DESCRIPTION	CD	PE	EC	RW	FD	CN
Hamilton-to-Crossroads Third Track 21/4-miles of new third track with CSXT design and construction of signal and track tie-ins.		٠	٠	٠	N/A	٠	•

# MAINTENANCE AND STORAGE FACILITIES

Conversion of CSXT Temporary						
Track to VRE Storage Track (1,350	•	•	•	N/A	٠	٠
feet) and Associated Signal Work						
New LOU facility to be added to						
the Crossroads MSF.	٠	•	•	N/A	•	•
Acquisition of 19.5 acres of land,						
construction of two storage tracks	•	N/A	N/A	٠	N/A	N/A
and related site improvements.						
Midday storage facility replacement						
for Ivy City storage facility.	٠	•	•	•		
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# **ROLLING STOCK**

Passenger Railcar Procurement	Acquisition of 29 new railcars.	٠	N/A	N/A	N/A	٠	٠
Positive Train Control	Implement Positive Train Control for all VRE locomotives and control	٠	N/A	N/A	N/A	٠	•
	cars.						

# PLANNING, COMMUNICATIONS AND IT

Broad Run Expansion (was Gainesville-Haymarket Extension)	NEPA and PE for expanding commuter rail service capacity in Western Prince William County	•	•			-	-	-
Mobile Ticketing	Implementation of a new mobile ticketing system.	٠	N/	A N	/A	N/A	٠	•

PHASE: CD - Conceptual Design PE - Preliminary Engineering EC - Environment Cleaarance

RW - Right of Way Acquisition FD - Final Design CN - Construction

STATUS: 

Completed
Underway
On Hold

<sup>1</sup> Total project cost estimate in adopted FY2020 CIP Budget; percentage complete based on VRE Operations Board authorization

<sup>2</sup> Does not include minor (< \$50,000) operating expenditures

	EST	IMATED COSTS	(\$)					STATUS
Total <sup>1</sup>	Funded	Unfunded	Authorized	Expended <sup>2</sup>	Percent Complete <sup>1</sup>	Project Completion Date		
32,500,000	32,500,000	-	33,285,519	30,578,003	<b>99</b> %	3rd QTR 2018	•	Close-out pending repair of storm damage to embankment.
3,965,000	3,965,000	-	2,937,323	1,699,610	60%	4th QTR 2019		CSXT Construction Agreement received. CM underway.
38,183,632	38,183,632	-	3,176,039	2,143,583	70%	TBD		FD completion pending Final Electrical Design Coordination with REC. IFB anticipated 2nd Quarter 2020, upon
2,950,000	2,950,000	-	2,950,000	163,565	100%	lst QTR 2020		Land acquistion has been completed.
89,666,508	89,666,508	-	3,588,305	2,257,455	90%	4th QTR 2021		Preliminary design has been completed and continuing to collaborate with Amtrak on agreements.
75,264,693	75,264,693	-	69,457,809	47,915,644	99%	4th QTR 2020		All cars received. Completion date reflects end of warranty period.
14,191,833	14,191,833	-	10,294,079	7,984,451	95%	4th QTR 2018		Implementation Completed. Final stabilization and familiarization phase in process.
110,700,000	82,526,398	28,173,602	5,855,650	4,539,446	80%	4th QTR 2024		PE design and EC underway. Property acquisition due diligency underway.
3,510,307	3,510,307	-	3,510,627	2,282,853	70%	3rd QTR 2019		American Eagle working on redesign with uplift to new platform projected for late summer 2020.



# VIRGINIA RAILWAY EXPRESS

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ITEM 6.2 September 3, 2020 PRTC Regular Meeting Res. No. 2020-09-\_\_\_\_

#### MOTION:

SECOND:

### RE: AUTHORIZE CLOSED MEETING OF THE POTOMAC AND RAPPAHANNOCK TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

ACTION:

**WHEREAS**, the Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission desires to convene into Closed Meeting for discussion of two (2) personnel matters as follows:

- a personnel matter concerning the appointment of the Virginia Railway Express Chief Executive Officer; and
- a personnel matter concerning the Commission's Executive Director's performance evaluation; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to VA Code § 2.2-3711.A.1 such discussions may occur in Closed Meeting.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission does hereby authorize discussion of the aforestated matters in Closed Meeting.

Adjourned into Closed Meeting at \_\_\_\_\_\_.

<u>Votes</u>: Ayes: Nays: Abstain: Absent from Vote: Alternate Present Not Voting: Absent from Meeting:

ITEM 6.3 September 3, 2020 PRTC Regular Meeting Res. No. 2020-09-\_\_\_

#### **MOTION:**

SECOND:

### RE: CERTIFY CLOSED MEETING OF THE POTOMAC AND RAPPAHANNOCK TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

#### ACTION:

**WHEREAS,** the Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission has this day adjourned into Closed Meeting in accordance with a formal vote of the Commission, and in accordance with the provisions of the Virginia Freedom of Information Act; and

**WHEREAS,** VA Code § 2.2-3712 requires certification that such Closed Meeting was concluded in conformity with the law.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission does hereby certify that to the best of each members' knowledge, (i) only public business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements under the Freedom of Information Act were discussed in the Closed Meeting to which this certification applies, and (ii) only such public business matters as were identified in the Motion by which the said Closed Meeting was convened were heard, discussed or considered by the Commission. No member dissents from the aforesaid certification.

Concluded Closed Meeting at \_\_\_\_\_.

<u>Votes</u>: Ayes: Nays: Abstain: Absent from Vote: Alternate Present Not Voting: Absent from Meeting:



# VIRGINIA RAILWAY EXPRESS

TO:	Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission Chair Franklin and Commissioners
FROM:	Rich Dalton, Acting Chief Executive Officer
DATE:	August 25, 2020
SUBJECT:	VRE Monthly Update

Ridership continues to slowly grow. Since my last update in late June, average daily ridership has gone from just under 1,000 to nearly 1,200. The number of weekly passenger trips has increased by more than 1,000 to 5,957. Here's what ridership looks like over the past four weeks compared to the same weeks in 2019.

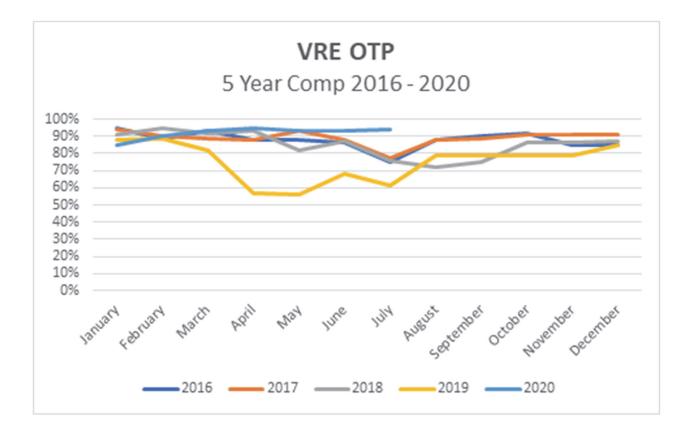
Week	2020	Average Daily	2019	Numeric	Percentage
Ending	Ridership	Ridership	Ridership	Difference	Difference
		2020			
July 31	5,754	1,151	95,784	-90,030	-93.9%
August 7	5,237	I,047	94,084	-88,847	-94.4%
August 14	5,872	1,174	91,333	-85,461	-93.6%
August 21	5,957	1,191	94,009	-88,052	-93.7%

At the end of July, we <u>added a round trip – trains 300 and 307 – on the Fredericksburg Line</u> to support social distancing in our railcars. Under our <u>current distancing plan</u>, roughly a third of our seats – 45 of 130 – are available to passengers. We continue to monitor ridership and will add or lengthen trains as the numbers grow. Our <u>train utilization trends web page</u>, which is updated weekly, serves as a decision-making tool for passengers who want the greatest amount of distancing.

Our ridership recovery campaign continues to evolve. We have prepared a series of <u>videos that</u> <u>highlights the precautions we have taken</u> to ensure the safe and healthy return of passengers. These videos emphasize our <u>cleaning and sanitizing procedures</u>, and social distancing protocols.

On-time performance (OTP) in June and July was 93 and 94 percent, respectively. While lower ridership helps improve OTP, as it takes passengers less time to board and detrain, our new seasonal schedule has played a major role in mitigating the effects of heat-related speed restrictions. OTP generally dips during the summer due to these restrictions, but the slight

adjustments to the Fredericksburg Line southbound schedule has eliminated those delays. In July, with nearly 100 percent of our operating days under heat orders, we had no trains delayed with heat orders as the cause.



Our procurement staff has been busy <u>issuing and evaluating three requests for proposals and</u> <u>two invitation for bids</u> (IFB), many of which will come before you over the next few months. Only one solicitation, an IFB for improvements to our Rolling Road station, is currently open.

VRE's Continuity of Operations team meets virtually each day and is in constant contact. Our supply chain, staffing, business processes, and other functional areas of the organization remain in good shape.



VIRGINIA RAILWAY EXPRESS OPERATIONS BOARD

# **VRE Operations Board Meeting**

# July 17, 2020

# Audit Committee Meeting – 8:30 A.M. VIA WebEx/VRE YouTube Channel

**Operations Board Meeting - 9:00 A.M.** VIA WebEx/VRE YouTube Channel

# Finance Committee Meeting – follows Board meeting adjournment. VIA WebEx/VRE YouTube Channel

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Roll Call
- 3. Resolution Finding Need to Conduct July 17, 2020 Meeting Electronically
- 4. Approval of Agenda
- 5. Approval of Minutes from the June 19, 2020 VRE Operations Board Meeting
- 6. Chairman's Comments
- 7. Chief Executive Officer's Report
- 8. Virginia Railway Express Riders' and Public Comment
- 9. Action Items:
  - A. Authorization to Execute a Contract for Mobile Ticketing Services



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- B. Authorization to Execute a Contract for Federal Government Relations Services
- C. Authorization to Execute a Sole Source Contract with Scheidt & Bachmann for Fare Media Validators
- D. Authorization to Issue a GEC VII Task Order for Survey Services for the L'Enfant Station and Fourth Track Project
- E. Authorization to Amend the Contract for Financial Advisory Services
- F. Authorization to Amend the GEC VII Task Order for Design Services for Quantico Station Improvements
- G. Authorization to Withdraw from Standard Project Agreements with the Northern Virginia Transportation Authority for Lorton and Rippon Stations
- 10. Information Items:
  - A. FY 2022 Key Budget Issues
  - B. Spending Authority Report
- 11. Closed Session
- 12. Operations Board Member's Time

The Next VRE Operations Board Meeting September 18, 2020 - 9:00 am (location TBD)



MINUTES VIRGINIA RAILWAY EXPRESS OPERATIONS BOARD MEETING July 17, 2020 WebEx Electronic Meeting with YouTube Live-Stream

#### Members Present

\*Andrea Bailey (PRTC) \*Elizabeth Bennet-Parker (NVTC) \*Meg Bohmke (PRTC) \*Katie Cristol (NVTC) \*Margaret Franklin (PRTC) \*Matt Kelly (PRTC) \*Jeanine Lawson (PRTC) \*Jennifer Mitchell (DRPT) \*Cindy Shelton (PRTC) \*Gary Skinner (PRTC) \*Ralph Smith (PRTC) \*Dan Storck (NVTC) \*James Walkinshaw (NVTC)

Members Absent Walter Alcorn (NVTC

Preston Banks (PRTC)

Alternates Present

Hector Cendejas (PRTC)

#### **Alternates Absent**

Canek Aguirre (NVTC) Victor Angry (PRTC) Pete Candland (PRTC) Deborah Frazier (PRTC) Libby Garvey (NVTC) Jason Graham (PRTC) Jeff McKay (NVTC) Michael McLaughlin (DRPT) Pam Sebesky (PRTC) Gary Snellings (PRTC) Ann Wheeler (PRTC) Jurisdiction Prince William County City of Alexandria Stafford County Arlington County Prince William County City of Fredericksburg Prince William County Commonwealth of Virginia Stafford County Spotsylvania County City of Manassas Fairfax County Fairfax County

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\*Voting Member

\*\*Delineates arrival/departure following the commencement of the Operations Board Meeting.

#### **Staff and General Public**

Karen Finucan Clarkson - VRE Rich Dalton – VRE John Duque – VRE Chris Henry - VRE Robert Hostelka - VRE Lezlie Lamb – VRE Steve MacIsaac – VRE Legal Counsel Kate Mattice – NVTC Kristin Nutter – VRE Mark Schofield – VRE Alex Sugatan - VRE Joe Swartz – VRE

#### Call to Order – 1

Chairman Skinner called the meeting to order at 9:00 A.M.

#### <u>Roll Call – 2</u>

#### Resolution Finding Need to Conduct July 17, 2020 Meeting Electronically – 3

Mr. Dalton briefed the Operations Board on Agenda Item 3, a Resolution Finding Need to Conduct July 17, 2020 Meeting Electronically.

Ms. Bailey moved, with a second by Mr. Smith to approve Resolution #03-07-2020, Finding Need to Conduct July 17, 2020 Meeting Electronically.

The vote in favor was cast by Members Bailey, Bennett-Parker, Bohmke, Cendejas, Cristol, Franklin, Kelly, Lawson, Mitchell, Shelton, Skinner, Storck, and Walkinshaw.

#### Approval of the Agenda –4

Ms. Cristol moved, with a second by Ms. Bailey to approve the agenda as presented.

The vote in favor was cast by Members Bailey, Bennett-Parker, Bohmke, Cendejas, Cristol, Franklin, Kelly, Lawson, Mitchell, Shelton, Skinner, Storck, and Walkinshaw.

#### Approval of the Minutes of the June 19, 2020 VRE Operations Board Meeting – 5

Ms. Bailey moved, with a second by Mr. Smith, to approve the Minutes from June 19, 2020.

The vote in favor was cast by Members Bailey, Bennett-Parker, Bohmke, Cristol, Franklin, Kelly, Lawson, Mitchell, Shelton, Skinner, Storck, and Walkinshaw. Mr. Cendejas abstained.

#### Chairman's Comments – 6

Chairman Skinner welcomed everyone participating in and viewing the meeting and reported he had recently sent a letter to Representatives Beyer and Wittman on behalf of VRE, thanking them for introducing the Long Bridge Act of 2020. Chairman Skinner also announced the Finance Committee would meet after the VRE Operations Board meeting adjourned and reminded Members there is no meeting in August.

#### Acting Chief Executive Officer's Report – 7

Mr. Dalton briefed the Operations Board on the following items of interest:

- Safety/ COVID-19 update
- Ridership
  - Plans for adding trains to accommodate social distancing as ridership returns

- Performance
- Temporary changes to the Amtrak Step-Up program
- Funding updates
- Welcoming Back Riders

#### Public Comment Time – 8

The Chairman announced that public comments were being accepted electronically through the Public Comments Form. A link to the form can be found at vre.org and the link would remain active through the end of the meeting. The Clerk will read the comments into the record prior to adjournment.

#### Action items - 9

#### Authorization to Execute a Contract Mobile Ticketing Services – 9A

Ms. Bailey moved, with a second by Mr. Smith to authorize the Acting CEO to execute a contract with Svanaco, Inc. (DBA AmericanEagle.com) for mobile ticketing services in the amount of \$988,630, plus a ten percent contingency of \$98,863, for a total not to exceed \$1,087,493, for a base year and five option years.

The vote in favor was cast by Members Bailey, Bennett-Parker, Bohmke, Cendejas, Cristol, Franklin, Kelly, Lawson, Mitchell, Shelton, Skinner, Storck, and Walkinshaw.

#### Authorization to Execute a Contract for Federal Government Relations Services – 9B

Mr. Smith moved, with a second by Ms. Bohmke, to authorize the Acting CEO to execute a contract for with Cardinal Infrastructure, LLC for federal government relations services in the amount of \$480,000, plus a five percent contingency of \$24,000, for a total amount not to exceed \$504,000, for a three year base period and two one-year option periods.

The vote in favor was cast by Members Bailey, Bennett-Parker, Bohmke, Cendejas, Cristol, Franklin, Kelly, Lawson, Mitchell, Skinner, Storck, and Walkinshaw. Ms. Shelton was not heard to respond.

#### Authorization to Execute a Sole Source Contract for Fare Media Validators – 9C

Ms. Bailey moved, with a second by Ms. Bennett-Parker, to authorize the Acting CEO to execute a sole source contract with Scheidt & Bachmann for fare media validators in the amount of \$391,000, plus a twenty percent contingency of \$78,000, for a total not to exceed \$469,200.

The vote in favor was cast by Members Bailey, Bennett-Parker, Bohmke, Cendejas, Cristol, Franklin, Kelly, Lawson, Mitchell, Shelton, Skinner, Storck, and Walkinshaw.

## Authorization to Issue a GEC VII Task Order for Survey Services for the L'Enfant Station and Fourth Track <u>Project</u> – 9D

Ms. Bailey moved, with a second by Ms. Bennett-Parker, to authorize the Acting CEO to issue a task order under the General Engineering Consulting Services (GEC) contract with NXL Construction Services, Inc. for survey services for the L'Enfant Station and Fourth Track project in the amount of \$178,421, plus a twenty percent contingency of \$35,684, for a total not to exceed \$214,105.

The vote in favor was cast by Members Bailey, Bennett-Parker, Bohmke, Cendejas, Cristol, Franklin, Kelly, Lawson, Mitchell, Shelton, Skinner, Storck, and Walkinshaw.

#### Authorization to Amend the Contract for Financial Advisory Services – 9E

Ms. Bailey moved, with a second by Ms. Bennett-Parker, to authorize the Acting CEO to amend the contract with PFM Financial Advisors, LLC for financial advisory services on a task order basis in the amount of \$400,000, increasing the authorization from \$300,000 to a total amount not to exceed \$700,000.

The vote in favor was cast by Members Bailey, Bennett-Parker, Bohmke, Cendejas, Cristol, Franklin, Kelly, Lawson, Mitchell, Shelton, Skinner, Storck, and Walkinshaw.

### Authorization to Amend the GEC VII Task Order for Design Services for the Quantico Station Improvements – 9F

Ms. Bailey moved, with a second by Ms. Bennett-Parker, to authorize the Acting CEO to amend the task order for design services for the Quantico Station Improvements, issued to STV, Inc. under the GEC VII contract in the amount of \$217,072, plus a ten percent contingency of \$21,707, for a total of \$238,779, increasing the authorization for this task order from \$830,833 to a total amount not to exceed \$1,069,612.

The vote in favor was cast by Members Bailey, Bennett-Parker, Bohmke, Cendejas, Cristol, Franklin, Kelly, Lawson, Mitchell, Shelton, Skinner, Storck, and Walkinshaw.

### Authorization to Withdraw from Standard Project Agreements with the Northern Virginia Transportation Authority for Lorton and Rippon Stations – 9G

Ms. Cristol moved, with a second by Mr. Cendejas, to authorize the Acting CEO to formally withdraw VRE from the existing standard project agreements with the Northern Virginia Transportation Authority for the Lorton and Rippon Station projects.

The vote in favor was cast by Members Bailey, Bennett-Parker, Bohmke, Cendejas, Cristol, Franklin, Kelly, Lawson, Mitchell, Shelton, Skinner, Storck, and Walkinshaw.

#### Information Items – 10

#### FY 2022 Key Budget Issues

VRE Chief Financial Officer, Mark Schofield, briefed the Operations Board on the following key issues in the development of the Preliminary FY 2022 Operating and Capital Budget.

- 1. Revenue shortfalls and CARES Act support
- 2. Policy of Alternating 3 percent fare and subsidy increases
- 3. Expense Reductions in FY 2021 and FY 2022
- 4. Transforming Rail in Virginia Program
- 5. Insurance
- 6. Baseline Capital Charge contributions for Northeast Corridor

#### Spending Authority Report – 10B

In, the following purchases greater than \$50,000 but less than \$100,000 were made in June.

- On June 5, 2020, VRE issued a Task Order in the amount of \$97,722 to STV Inc. under the Mechanical Engineering Consulting Services VII contract to provide engineering services in support of Life Cycle Maintenance projects.
- On June 10, 2020, VRE issued a Task Order in the amount of \$76,951 to Keolis Rail Services Virginia, LLC under the Maintenance Services for Commuter Rail contract to purchase and install social distancing floor decals on VRE's passenger railcars.
- On June 10, 2020, VRE issued a Task Order in the amount of \$79,675 to Keolis Rail Services Virginia, LLC under the Maintenance Services for Commuter Rail contract to purchase and install social distancing seat decals on VRE's passenger railcars.
- On June 10, 2020, VRE issued a Task Order in the amount of \$60,021 to Keolis Rail Services Virginia, LLC under the Maintenance Services for Commuter Rail contract to purchase and install hand sanitizer dispensers on VRE's passenger railcars.
- On June 18, 2020, VRE issued a Purchase Order in the amount of \$78,475 to Technology International, Inc. for the purchase of five utility carts to be utilized at the Broad Run and Crossroads Maintenance and Storage Facilities.
- On June 22, 2020, VRE issued a Task Order in the amount of \$99,376 to STV Inc. under the Mechanical Engineering Consulting Services VII contract to provide general engineering services for the 1<sup>st</sup> year of the contract.
- On June 25, 2020, VRE issued a Task Order in the amount of \$85,257 to STV Inc. under the Mechanical Engineering Consulting Services VII contract to provide National Transit Database (NTD) and asset management reporting.
- On June 25, 2020, VRE issued a Task Order in the amount of \$92,111 to STV Inc. under the Mechanical Engineering Consulting Services VII contract to provide oversight for the ongoing overhaul of VRE's railcar trucks.

Chairman Skinner asked the Clerk to read public comments. The Clerk read one Public Comment received during the defined Public Comment period from Erik Olson of Washington, DC. This Public Comment is attached.

#### Closed Session – 11

At 10:12 a.m. Ms. Cristol moved, and Ms. Bailey seconded, the following:

Pursuant to the Virginia Freedom of Information Act (Section 2.2-3711.A(1) of the Code of Virginia), I move that the VRE Operations Board convene a closed meeting for the purpose of discussing one personnel matter concerning an appointee of the Commissions.

The vote in favor was cast by Members Bailey, Bennett-Parker, Bohmke, Cendejas, Cristol, Franklin, Kelly, Lawson, Mitchell, Shelton, Skinner, Storck, and Walkinshaw.

[Ms. Shelton left the meeting during the Closed Session]

At 12:00 p.m. Ms. Cristol moved, and Ms. Bennett-Parker seconded, the following:

The VRE Operations Board certifies that, to the best of each member's knowledge and with no individual member dissenting, at the just concluded Closed Session:

- 1. Only public business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements under the Freedom of Information Act were discussed; and,
- 2. Only such public business matters as were identified in the motion by which the Closed Session was convened were heard, discussed or considered.

The vote in favor was cast by Members Bailey, Bennett-Parker, Bohmke, Cendejas, Cristol, Franklin, Kelly, Lawson, Mitchell, Storck, and Walkinshaw.

#### **Operations Board Members Time – 12**

Chairman Skinner and Members Storck and Walkinshaw thanked Ms. Cristol for her leadership of the VRE CEO Selection Committee.

Ms. Mitchell moved, with a second by Ms. Bailey, to adjourn the meeting.

The vote in favor was cast by Members Bailey, Bennett-Parker, Bohmke, Cendejas, Franklin, Kelly, Lawson, Mitchell, Skinner, Storck, and Walkinshaw. Ms. Cristol did not vote.

The meeting adjourned at 12:13 p.m.

Approved this 18<sup>th</sup> day of September 2020

Gary Skinner	
Chair	

Jeanine Lawson Secretary

#### CERTIFICATION

This certification hereby acknowledges the minutes for the July 17, 2020 Virginia Railway Express Operations Board Meeting have been recorded to the best of my ability.

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# A response was submitted for the form "Public Comments"

(REQUIRED) First and Last Name:	Erik Olson
City or County of residence:	Washington, D.C.
Comments:	The Metra tracks in Illinois connect to VRE and run into Washington, DC, making its upcoming procurement decisions for rolling stock relevant for VRE. Metra received nearly \$500 million in CARES Act emergency domestic relief funding and is actively in discussions with procurement bidders for capital improvement projects, including rolling stock. Does VRE consider it appropriate to use taxpayer dollars allocated to invest in the U.S. and keep Americans at work with Chinese government-owned enterprises like CRRC that source most of their steel and components in China? Shouldn't these emergency funds from DC be kept in IL and the U.S.? For additional context, language was included in the 2019 National Defense Authorization Act that immediately banned CRRC from contracting with WMATA. Congress and the Administration recognized the risk of allowing a Chinese SOE to operate in the nation's capital. Is VRE considering this language and its relevance to the upcoming Metra decision and how that impacts VRE?

Acknowledgement Yes



# <u>Agenda Item 9-A</u> <u>Action Item</u>

То:	Chairman Skinner and the VRE Operations Board
From:	Rich Dalton
Date:	July 17, 2020
Re:	Authorization to Execute a Contract for Mobile Ticketing Services

## Recommendation:

The VRE Operations Board is asked to authorize the Acting Chief Executive Officer to execute a contract with Svanaco, Inc. (DBA Americaneagle.com) of Des Plaines, Illinois for Mobile Ticketing Services in the amount of \$988,630, plus a 10 percent contingency of \$98,863, for a total amount not to exceed \$1,087,493, for a base year and five option years, with the Chief Executive Officer exercising the option years at his discretion.

## Summary:

This contract will replace the current mobile ticketing provider, moovel, for the ticketing component of VRE Mobile. The total authorization sought includes design/development, licensing and hosting of the solution, as well as a commission rate of 0.5% of VRE Mobile sales.

## Background:

VRE launched VRE Mobile on May 15, 2015 as a mobile ticketing solution provided by GlobeSherpa of Portland, Oregon, now known as moovel. VRE Mobile has proven to be a popular alternative to paper tickets, accounting for more than 30% of fare revenue. On January 28, 2020, VRE was notified of moovel's intention to leave the North American fare payment market in 12-18 months.

VRE made the decision to procure a new provider for the mobile ticketing component of VRE Mobile and in the process position VRE Mobile for additional technology-based



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Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission 14700 Potomac Mills Road Woodbridge, VA 22192 703-580-6121 enhancements like trip planning and other system integrations to improve the passenger experience. In addition, a key consideration was the ability to expand the solution to a regional platform. VRE staff worked with other regional transit providers to ensure the scope of work would incorporate the needs of the other individual providers. VRE also invited a representative from DASH to participate on the Technical Evaluation Team (TET) and a representative from OmniRide participated in the interviews conducted by the TET.

VRE issued a Request for Proposals (RFP) for a VRE Mobile Ticketing System. An RFP is the preferred method of procurement for this solicitation because there are different approaches to the desired service and an evaluation of technical merit is required. Upon completion of evaluation of proposals, negotiations are conducted with the highest ranked firms deemed to be fully qualified and best suited among those submitting proposals, based on the factors specified in the evaluation criteria. Price will be considered in context of technical performance for this service to achieve a best value determination. After receipt of the best and final offer from the top-ranked firm, a cost analysis is performed to compare the proposed cost with the independent cost estimate to determine the proposed cost is fair and reasonable.

A mailing list of nine prospective Offerors was established for the solicitation to ensure access to adequate sources of services. On April 6, 2020, an RFP was issued, and proposals were due on May 20, 2020. Nine responses were received.

Evaluation of the proposals received was performed by the TET, which consisted of four VRE staff members and one DASH staff member.

The TET met to discuss and evaluate the proposals using the following criteria:

Understanding of the scope of work and technical requirements Ability to launch Phase 1 functionality within two months of receiving Notice-To-Proceed Visual/electronic verification capabilities and ability to deploy fare product customizations Cost Capability and expertise of the Offeror Knowledge, qualifications and relevant experience of the proposed Project Manager and Key Personnel

Interviews were conducted with the three top-ranked firms. It was determined the proposal from Svanaco, Inc. was technically compliant and was selected to be best value for the project.

Below is the final ranking of firms who submitted a proposal for Mobile Ticketing Services:

	OFFERORS
1.	Svanaco, Inc. (DBA Americaneagle.com)
2.	Masabi LLC
3.	moovel North America
4.	Unwire Payments & Mobility Apps
5.	Bytemark, Inc.
6.	Conduent Transport Solutions, Inc.
7.	Token Transit
8.	Kontron Transportation North America, Inc.
9.	Paragon ID

The Offerors' proposed pricing was in the range of \$988,630 to \$7,074,085. Complete pricing information for all offerors may not be publicly disclosed until after execution of a contract. VRE staff has certified the highest ranked Offeror's price, provided below, is fair and reasonable based on the cost estimate for this project.

The contract will be for a base year and five option years, with the CEO exercising the option years at his discretion. This authorization allows work to begin.

## Fiscal Impact:

The FY 2021 operating budget for 'Rail Operations - Repairs and Maintenance - Fare Collection' includes sufficient funding for the first year of this activity, including design and development. Funding for future years will be included in each proposed annual budget.

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## Authorization to Execute a Contract for Mobile Ticketing Services

**WHEREAS,** VRE launched VRE Mobile on May 15, 2015 as a mobile ticketing solution provided by GlobeSherpa of Portland, Oregon, now known as moovel; and,

**WHEREAS,** VRE Mobile has proven to be a popular alternative to paper tickets, accounting for more than 30% of fare revenue; and,

**WHEREAS**, in January 2020, VRE was notified of moovel's intention to leave the North American fare payment market in 12-18 months; and,

**WHEREAS**, a Request for Proposals was issued to find a replacement for the mobile ticketing component of VRE Mobile; and,

**WHEREAS**, nine proposals were received in response to the RFP and evaluated by the Technical Evaluation Team; and,

**WHEREAS**, Svanaco, Inc. was determined to be the highest ranked offeror, and their proposed commission rate of 0.5% of VRE Mobile sales is determined to be fair and reasonable; and,

**WHEREAS,** the Operations Board's approval of this procurement does not represent its independent assessment of the candidate's responses to the solicitation or of each step in the procurement process followed by staff; rather, the Operations Board's action is premised upon its conclusion, after review of the information before it, that the process used by the staff was in accordance with law and that the staff recommendation appears to be reasonable;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT,** the VRE Operations Board does hereby find that, in accordance with amendments adopted on April 22, 2020 to budget bills HB 29 and 30, meeting by electronic means is authorized because the nature of the declared emergency makes it both impracticable and unsafe for the Operations Board to assemble in a single location on July 17, 2020, and that meeting by electronic means is authorized because the items on the July 17, 2020 Operations Board Meeting Agenda are statutorily required or necessary to continue operations of the Operations Board and the discharge of the Operations Board's lawful purposes, duties, and responsibilities; and further find that

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meeting by electronic means is authorized because the items on the July 17, 2020 Operations Board Meeting Agenda are encompassed within the continuity of operations ordinances adopted by member localities of the Virginia Railway Express Operations Board to assure the continued operation of the government during the disaster posed by the public health emergency resulting from COVID-19; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT, the VRE Operations Board does hereby authorize the Acting Chief Executive Officer to execute a contract with Svanaco, Inc. DBA Americaneagle.com of Des Plaines, Illinois for Mobile Ticketing Services in the amount of \$988,630, plus a 10 percent contingency of \$98,863, for a total amount not to exceed \$1,087,493. The contract will be for a base year and five option years, with the Chief Executive Officer exercising the option years at his discretion.

Approved this 17<sup>th</sup> day of July 2020

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<u> Mary F. Skinne</u> Gary Skinner



# <u>Agenda Item 9-B</u> <u>Action Item</u>

То:	Chairman Skinner and the VRE Operations Board
From:	Rich Dalton
Date:	July 17, 2020
Re:	Authorization to Execute a Contract for Federal Government Relations Services

## Recommendation:

The VRE Operations Board is asked to authorize the Acting Chief Executive Officer to execute a contract with Cardinal Infrastructure, LLC of Washington, D.C. for federal government relations services in the amount of \$480,000, plus a five percent contingency of \$24,000, for a total amount not to exceed \$504,000, for a base period of three years and two one-year option periods, with the Chief Executive Officer exercising the option years at his discretion.

## Summary:

This action authorizes the Acting Chief Executive Officer to execute a contract with Cardinal Infrastructure, LLC for federal government relations services required to assist VRE in its efforts to achieve federal government relations objectives as identified by the VRE Operations Board and incorporated in the annual Legislative Agenda approved by its parent Commissions; and to address federal legislative, regulatory and other issues as they arise.

## Background:

VRE has found it more expedient and effective to contract for government relations services at both the state and federal levels than to employ staff to attempt to monitor the myriad of government and legislative activities in Richmond and Washington, D.C. Professional government relations firms are also able to make and maintain the numerous contacts with appointed and elected officials and their staffs needed to effectively keep abreast of, analyze and engage on issues related to VRE, public transportation, and rail.



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Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission 14700 Potomac Mills Road Woodbridge, VA 22192 703-580-6121 VRE has chosen to contract separately for government relations services specific to federal executive branch and legislative issues as distinct from state issues. This procurement is for federal government relations services only. The current contract for these services was executed in August 2016 and will expire in August 2020.

On February 21, 2020, the VRE Operations Board authorized the Acting Chief Executive Officer to issue a Request for Proposals (RFP) for federal government relations services. As determined in accordance with VRE public procurement policies and procedures, an Invitation for Bids is neither practicable nor fiscally advantageous to VRE, and an RFP is the preferred method of procurement for this solicitation since there are different approaches to the desired service and an evaluation of technical merit is required.

The scope of work for the RFP includes, but is not limited to, the following:

Establish and maintain good working relationships with the Virginia Congressional delegation and other members of Congress – especially chairs of relevant committees and subcommittees, their staffs, and committee staffers. Establish and maintain good working relationships with the U.S. Department of Transportation, the Federal Transit Administration, the Federal Railroad Administration, the Surface Transportation Board, the National Transportation Safety Board, and other relevant Executive Branch and Independent Federal agencies.

Monitor, track and inform VRE of rail or transit issues and rulemaking from the Administration, federal agencies and Congress that may directly or indirectly impact VRE, its parent commissions or member jurisdictions, under the direction of the Chief of Staff.

Provide support, strategy and guidance on securing Capital Investment Grants and other federal discretionary grants.

A mailing list of six prospective offerors was established for the solicitation to ensure access to adequate sources of services. On April 2, 2020, an RFP was issued, and proposals were due on May 4, 2020. Eight responses were received.

Evaluation of the proposals received was performed by the Technical Evaluation Team (TET), which consisted of two VRE staff members and one Northern Virginia Transportation Commission staff member.

The TET met to discuss and evaluate the proposals using the following criteria:

Capability and expertise of the Offeror Understanding of the Scope of Work and approach to satisfying VRE's goals and requirements Retainer fee Experience of proposed key personnel Staffing and management plan Upon completion of evaluation of proposals, negotiations were conducted with the highest ranked firms deemed to be fully qualified and best suited among those submitting proposals, based on the factors specified in the evaluation criteria. Price was considered in context of technical performance for this service to achieve a best value determination. After receipt of the best and final offer from the top-ranked firm, a cost analysis was performed to compare the proposed cost with the independent cost estimate to determine the proposed cost is fair and reasonable.

It was determined the proposal from Cardinal Infrastructure, LLC was technically compliant and was selected to be the best value for the work. Cardinal Infrastructure, LLC is a sub-consultant under the current federal legislative services contract.

Below is the final ranking of firms who submitted a proposal for federal government relations services.

Offerors
Cardinal Infrastructure, LLC
Holland & Knight LLP
Ann Warner LLC
Tai Ginsberg & Associates, LLC
Becker & Poliakoff, P.A.
Alcalde & Fay, LTD.
Clark Hill PLC
Clyburn Consulting, LLC

The Offerors' proposed pricing was in the range of \$7,000 to \$15,000 per month. Complete pricing information may not be publicly disclosed until after execution of a contract. VRE staff has certified the highest ranked Offeror's price is fair and reasonable based on the cost estimate for this project.

The contract will be for a base period of three years and two one-year option periods, with the Chief Executive Officer exercising the option years at his discretion. This authorization allows notice-to-proceed to be given to Cardinal Infrastructure, LLC at the conclusion of the current federal legislative services contract in August.

## Fiscal Impact:

Funding for these activities is provided for in the FY 2021 budget under *Chief of Staff - Other Professional Services*. Funding for future years will be included in each proposed annual budget.

## Virginia Railway Express Operations Board

# Resolution 9B-07-2020

# Authorization to Execute a Contract for Federal Government Relations Services

**WHEREAS,** VRE has found it more expedient and effective to contract for Government Relations Services at both the State and Federal levels than to employ staff to attempt to monitor the myriad of government and legislative activities in Richmond and Washington, D.C.; and,

**WHEREAS,** VRE has chosen to contract separately for Government Relations Services specific to Federal issues as distinct from State issues; and,

**WHEREAS**, the first one-year option period of the current contract for Federal Legislative Services expires in August 2020; and,

**WHEREAS,** a determination was made by the VRE Contract Administrator in accordance with VRE Public Procurement Policies and Procedures that competitive bidding is not practicable, nor fiscally advantageous to VRE, and that competitive negotiation is the appropriate method to procure these services; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Operations Board's approval of this procurement does not represent its independent assessment of the candidate's responses to the solicitation or of each step in the procurement process followed by staff; rather, the Operations Board's action is premised upon its conclusion, after review of the information before it, that the process used by the staff was in accordance with law and that the staff recommendation appears to be reasonable;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT,** the VRE Operations Board does hereby find that, in accordance with amendments adopted on April 22, 2020, to budget bills HB 29 and 30, meeting by electronic means is authorized because the nature of the declared emergency makes it both impracticable and unsafe for the Operations Board to assemble in a single location on July 17, 2020, and that meeting by electronic means is authorized because the items on the July 17, 2020 Operations Board Meeting Agenda are statutorily required or necessary to continue operations of the Operations Board and the discharge of the Operations Board's lawful purposes, duties, and responsibilities; and further find that meeting by electronic means is authorized because the items on the July 17, 2020 Operations of the Operations Board of the operations Board's lawful purposes, duties, and responsibilities; and further find that meeting by electronic means is authorized because the items on the July 17, 2020 Operations Board Meeting Agenda are encompassed within the continuity of operations ordinances adopted by member localities of the Virginia Railway Express Operations Board to assure the continued operation of the government during the disaster posed by the public health emergency resulting from COVID-19; and,

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**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT**, the VRE Operations Board does hereby authorize the Acting Chief Executive Officer to execute a contract with Cardinal Infrastructure, LLC of Washington, DC for Federal Government Relations Services in the amount of \$480,000, plus a five percent contingency of \$24,000, for a total amount not to exceed \$504,000, for a base period of three years and two one-year option periods, with the Chief Executive Officer exercising the option years at his discretion.

Approved this 17th day of July 2020

Jan F. Skinner Gary Skinner

Chairman

**Jeanine** Lawson Secretary



# <u>Agenda Item 9-C</u> <u>Action Item</u>

То:	Chairman Skinner and the VRE Operations Board
From:	Rich Dalton
Date:	July 17, 2020
Re:	Authorization to Execute a Sole Source Contract with Scheidt & Bachmann for Fare Media Validators

## **Recommendation**:

The VRE Operations Board is asked to authorize the Acting Chief Executive Officer to execute a Sole Source Contract with Scheidt & Bachmann for Fare Media Validators in the amount of \$391,000, plus a 20 percent contingency of \$78,200, for a total amount not to exceed \$469,200.

## Summary:

VRE currently owns 69 Ticket Vending Machines (TVMs) manufactured by Scheidt & Bachmann as part of our Automated Fare Collection System. The TVMs are deployed at all 19 stations and are used to validate tickets as well as to sell fare media. The addition of stand-alone Fare Media Validators will accommodate planned platform extensions and second platform projects by providing passengers the ability to validate tickets at each platform entrance without adding additional TVMs. The Fare Media Validators are proprietary technology built for use specifically with the Scheidt & Bachmann fare collection system.

## Background:

The Scheidt & Bachmann Automated Fare Collection System was first implemented by VRE in 2002 following a competitive solicitation process. Since the initial launch, the system has been upgraded several times to utilize current technology and to comply with increasing requirements related to data protection.



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Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission 14700 Potomac Mills Road Woodbridge, VA 22192 703-580-6121 Paper ticket sales have declined since the addition of VRE Mobile to our Fare Collection System in 2015 but still account for a majority of the fare media sold. The addition of Fare Media Validators to accommodate the expansion of station platforms is an effective way of maintaining the existing paper ticket capabilities without the expense of adding full functioning TVMs.

Scheidt & Bachmann's proposal for the validators is consistent with the pricing negotiated for prior system upgrades, such as the Europay, MasterCard and Visa (EMV) Upgrade.

The software and technology utilized by the validators, which are compatible with VRE's Automated Fare Collection System, are proprietary to the original equipment manufacturer, Scheidt & Bachmann. As such, Scheidt & Bachmann is uniquely qualified to refurbish, test and install the validators.

This non-competitive procurement is in accordance with the following section of the VRE Public Procurement Policy and Procedures Manual:

6.8.2.1 The item is available only from one responsible source because: (a) It involves a unique or innovative concept or capability not available from another source. Unique or innovative concept means a new, novel, or changed concept, approach, or method that is the product of original thinking, the details of which are kept confidential or are patented or copyrighted, and is available to the recipient only from one source and has not in the past been available to the recipient from another source.

## Fiscal Impact:

Funding is provided through VRE's Capital Reserve.

## Virginia Railway Express Operations Board

# Resolution 9C-07-2020

# Authorization to Execute a Sole Source Contract with Scheidt & Bachmann for Fare Media Validators

**WHEREAS,** VRE currently owns 69 Ticket Vending Machines manufactured by Scheidt & Bachmann as part of our Automated Fare Collection System; and,

WHEREAS, the Ticket Vending Machines are deployed at all 19 stations; and,

**WHEREAS**, the addition of Fare Media Validators will accommodate planned platform extensions and second platform projects by providing passengers the ability to validate tickets at each platform entrance; and,

**WHEREAS,** in accordance with state and federal requirements, and VRE Procurement Policies, a determination has been made, and public notice thereof will be provided, that because Scheidt & Bachmann is the only supplier able to provide the proprietary Fare Media Validators, this qualifies as a sole source procurement;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT,** the VRE Operations Board does hereby find that, in accordance with amendments adopted on April 22, 2020 to budget bills HB 29 and 30, meeting by electronic means is authorized because the nature of the declared emergency makes it both impracticable and unsafe for the Operations Board to assemble in a single location on July 17, 2020, and that meeting by electronic means is authorized because the items on the July 17, 2020 Operations Board Meeting Agenda are statutorily required or necessary to continue operations of the Operations Board and the discharge of the Operations Board's lawful purposes, duties, and responsibilities; and further find that meeting by electronic means is authorized because the items on the July 17, 2020 Operations Board within the continuity of operations ordinances adopted by member localities of the Virginia Railway Express Operations Board to assure the continued operation of the government during the disaster posed by the public health emergency resulting from COVID-19; and,

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT,** the VRE Operations Board does hereby authorize the Acting Chief Executive Officer to execute a Sole Source Contract with Scheidt & Bachmann for Fare Media Validators, in the amount of \$391,000, plus a 20 percent contingency of \$78,200, for a total amount not to exceed \$469,200.

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Approved this  $17^{th}$  day of July 2020

Jeanine Lawson

Secretary

<u>Haw</u> <del>F. Shinner</del> Gary Skinner Chairman



# <u>Agenda Item 9-D</u> <u>Action Item</u>

То:	Chairman Skinner and the VRE Operations Board
From:	Rich Dalton
Date:	July 17, 2020
Re:	Authorization to Issue a GEC VII Task Order for Survey Services for the L'Enfant Station and Fourth Track Project

## **Recommendation**:

The VRE Operations Board is asked to authorize the Acting Chief Executive Officer to issue a General Engineering Consulting Services (GEC) VII Task Order to NXL Construction Services, Inc. for survey services for the L'Enfant Station and Fourth Track Project in the amount of *\$178,421, plus a 20 percent contingency of \$35,684, for a total amount not to exceed \$214,105.* 

## Summary:

The purpose of the Task Order is to conduct a property boundary and topographical survey design, and land acquisition activities for the VRE L'Enfant Station and Fourth Track Project. The information gathered for this Task Order may also be used for adjacent VRE and Virginia Department of Rail and Public Transportation projects.

## Background:

The existing VRE L'Enfant Station comprises a single side platform that serves about five cars while the majority of VRE trains are six to eight cars in length. The VRE L'Enfant Station and Fourth Track Project includes lengthening the existing platform and expanding the existing L'Enfant Station to serve future needs. It will also provide a new mainline fourth track between the L'Enfant and Virginia interlockings. The project will need to be coordinated with the Long Bridge project located to the south of L'Enfant interlocking.



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Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission 14700 Potomac Mills Road Woodbridge, VA 22192 703-580-6121 The Scope of Services for this Task Order involves conducting a property boundary survey, including property owner notification, review of parcel maps and ownership information, field reconnaissance and mapping of existing right-of-way and property monumentation, as well as creating a best fit mosaic. The scope also includes conducting a topographical survey and a top of rail survey to produce a Digital Terrain Model and to generate 1-foot interval contours. The survey limits comprise approximately 5,000 feet of length along the railroad corridor between Maine Avenue SW and E Street SE (approximately MP CFP 111.4 to CFP 112.4) in Washington, DC.

NXL Construction Services, Inc. is the prime consultant for Task Area G – Land and Survey Services under GEC VII contract. A Request for a Task Order Proposal for survey services for the L'Enfant Station and Fourth Track Project was requested from NXL on June 30, 2020. *On July 13, 2020, NXL returned a task order proposal to perform the requested services in the amount of \$178,421.* 

Following review of the task order proposal, staff recommends award to NXL.

## Fiscal Impact:

Funding for survey services is provided through the Commuter Rail Operating and Capital Fund (C-ROC) allocated to the L'Enfant Station and Fourth Track Project.

## Virginia Railway Express Operations Board

## Resolution 9D-07-2020

## Authorization to Issue a GEC VII Task Order for Survey Services for the L'Enfant Station and Fourth Track Project

**WHEREAS,** the VRE L'Enfant Station and Fourth Track Project includes lengthening the existing platform to serve current VRE trains; and,

**WHEREAS,** the project will also expand the existing L'Enfant Station to serve future needs and provide a new mainline fourth track between the L'Enfant and Virginia interlockings; and,

**WHEREAS,** VRE requires a property boundary and topographical survey to support alternatives analysis, design, and land acquisition activities for the project; and,

**WHEREAS**, the requested authorization under the GEC VII Contract will allow NXL Construction Services, Inc to provide the required survey services; and,

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT,** the VRE Operations Board does hereby find that, in accordance with amendments adopted on April 22, 2020 to budget bills HB 29 and 30, meeting by electronic means is authorized because the nature of the declared emergency makes it both impracticable and unsafe for the Operations Board to assemble in a single location on July 17, 2020, and that meeting by electronic means is authorized because the items on the July 17, 2020 Operations Board Meeting Agenda are statutorily required or necessary to continue operations of the Operations Board and the discharge of the Operations Board's lawful purposes, duties, and responsibilities; and further find that meeting by electronic means is authorized because the items on the July 17, 2020 Operations Board within the continuity of operations ordinances adopted by member localities of the Virginia Railway Express Operations Board to assure the continued operation of the government during the disaster posed by the public health emergency resulting from COVID-19; and,

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT,** the VRE Operations Board does hereby authorize the Acting Chief Executive Officer to issue a GEC VII Task Order to NXL Construction Services, Inc for survey services for the L'Enfant Station and Fourth Track Project in the amount of *\$178,421, plus a 20 percent contingency of \$35,684, for a total amount not to exceed \$214,105.* 

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Approved this  $17^{th}$  day of July 2020

Jeanine Lawson Secretary

Lary F. Skinner

Gary Skinner Chairman



# <u>Agenda Item 9-E</u> <u>Action Item</u>

То:	Chairman Skinner and the VRE Operations Board
From:	Rich Dalton
Date:	July 17, 2020
Re:	Authorization to Amend the Contract for Financial Advisory Services

## **Recommendation**:

The VRE Operations Board is asked to authorize the Acting Chief Executive Officer to execute a contract amendment with PFM Financial Advisors LLC (PFM) of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, for Financial Advisory Services on a task order basis in an amount not to exceed \$400,000. This will increase the total authorization for this contract from \$300,000 to a total amount not to exceed \$700,000.

## Summary:

VRE is in need of a range of additional support and analysis from PFM, including treasury consulting services, financial planning and modeling software, and financial advisory services in conjunction with VRE's planned contribution to the Commonwealth's Transforming Rail in Virginia program. Additional funding authorization is needed for this task order contract to undertake these important activities.

## Background:

In May 2017, the VRE Operations Board authorized the Chief Executive Officer to execute a task order contract with PFM for Financial Advisory Services. PFM was selected through a competitive procurement process in cooperation with Prince William County, the Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission (PRTC), and the Northern Virginia Transportation Authority (NVTA). The Request for Proposals (RFP) specified VRE and PRTC together could select the same or a different financial advisor than the County, and a similar provision applied to the selection of a financial advisor by NVTA. The issuance of the solicitation and the selection process were carried out by



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The financial advisor is responsible for assisting in the development of financing alternatives; for implementing the chosen alternative; for assisting in managing existing debt; for the development and review of financial policies; and for other consulting services such as the development of financial plans and forecasts. The task order contract with PFM is for one base year and nine option years, with the CEO exercising the option years at his discretion. VRE is currently in the third option year of the contract and to date has expended \$290,000 of the original \$300,000 of contract authority.

Three initiatives have already been identified that would be supported by the additional contract authority:

At least two years of software license fees (\$60,000 per year) for Synario (formerly Whitebirch), PFM's proprietary long-range financial planning and analysis software, which VRE has been using to support analysis of Commuter Rail Operating and Capital fund (C-ROC) leveraging, farebox recovery, and other key financial metrics. Synario will support future financial analyses as VRE's System Plan evolves in response to the Commonwealth's planned purchase of CSXT right of way, the construction of the new Long Bridge, and other major initiatives.

A task order for Treasury Management Consulting Services (amount to be determined) to support VRE's forthcoming RFP for Banking Services. PFM has supported many local governments and districts in Virginia with their solicitations for banking services and can assist in assessment of VRE's current banking use, RFP development, evaluation of proposals, and final negotiations. Banking technologies and fee structures are changing, and VRE needs expert advice on best practices as well as integration with the ongoing ERP implementation.

A task order for Financial Advisory Services (amount to be determined) to support VRE's planned contribution to the Long Bridge project and the Transforming Rail in Virginia program. As described in the approved FY 2021 budget, VRE is contemplating both a pay-as-you-go (cash) contribution and the issuance of debt backed by C-ROC dedicated funds. A financial advisor is necessary to guide VRE through this process and to ensure VRE's financial and debt management principles are strictly adhered to.

Both the treasury management and financial advisory services related to a potential C-ROC backed debt issuance were not contemplated at the time of the initial contract award. Additional advisory services beyond the initiatives described above may also be needed in the future. VRE Operations Board approval is required prior to award of each task order in excess of the Chief Executive Officer's spending authority.

## Fiscal Impact:

Funding is provided for in the FY 2021 budget through the Consulting line item within Finance & Accounting. Funding for future years will be included in each proposed annual budget.

## Virginia Railway Express Operations Board

## Resolution 9E-07-2020

## Authorization to Amend the Contract for Financial Advisory Services

**WHEREAS,** in May 2017, the VRE Operations Board authorized the Chief Executive Officer to execute a task order contract with PFM Financial Advisors LLC for Financial Advisory Services with a base period of one year and nine option years, in an amount not to exceed \$300,000; and,

**WHEREAS,** VRE is currently in the third option year of the contract and has expended \$290,000 of the original \$300,000 of contract authority; and,

**WHEREAS,** VRE is in need of a range of additional support and analysis from PFM Financial Advisors, including treasury consulting services, financial planning and modeling software, and financial advisory services in conjunction with VRE's planned contribution to the Commonwealth's Transforming Rail in Virginia program; and,

**WHEREAS,** additional funding authorization is needed on the task order contract to undertake these important activities and to support other financial advisory needs that may arise in the future;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT,** the VRE Operations Board does hereby find that, in accordance with amendments adopted on April 22, 2020 to budget bills HB 29 and 30, meeting by electronic means is authorized because the nature of the declared emergency makes it both impracticable and unsafe for the Operations Board to assemble in a single location on July 17, 2020, and that meeting by electronic means is authorized because the items on the July 17, 2020 Operations Board Meeting Agenda are statutorily required or necessary to continue operations of the Operations Board and the discharge of the Operations Board's lawful purposes, duties, and responsibilities; and further find that meeting by electronic means is authorized because the items on the July 17, 2020 Operations Board within the continuity of operations ordinances adopted by member localities of the Virginia Railway Express Operations Board to assure the continued operation of the government during the disaster posed by the public health emergency resulting from COVID-19; and,

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT,** the VRE Operations Board does hereby authorize the Acting Chief Executive Officer to execute a contract amendment with PFM Financial Advisors LLC of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, for Financial Advisory Services on a task order basis in an amount not to exceed \$400,000, which will increase the total authorization for this contract from \$300,000 to a total amount not to exceed \$700,000.

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Approved this  $17^{\rm th}\,day$  of July 2020

Jeanine Lawson Secretary

<u>Jaug F. Skinner</u> Gary Skinner Chairman



## <u>Agenda Item 9-F</u> <u>Action Item</u>

To:	Chairman Skinner and the VRE Operations Board
From:	Rich Dalton
Date:	July 17, 2020
Re:	Authorization to Amend the GEC VII Task Order for Design Services for Quantico Station Improvements

## Recommendation:

The VRE Operations Board is asked to authorize the Acting Chief Executive Officer to amend the current Task Order for Design Services for Quantico Station Improvements executed with STV, Inc. under the General Engineering Consulting Services (GEC) VII contract in the amount of \$217,072, plus a 10 percent contingency of \$21,707, for a total of \$238,779. This will increase the total authorization for this Task Order from \$830,833, to a total amount not to exceed \$1,069,612.

## Summary:

During Final Design, several elements requiring additional work have been identified for the Quantico Station Improvements project. The additional work includes final stakeholder coordination, review and comments, as well as associated responses, revisions, permit coordination, and updates to cost estimates and the bid package.

VRE requested STV submit a proposal to accomplish the additional required work, and this action will authorize the Acting Chief Executive Officer to amend the Task Order to address the increased costs.

## Background:

CSX Transportation (CSXT), the Virginia Department of Rail and Public Transportation (DRPT) and Virginia Railway Express (VRE) are collaborating on the Arkendale Third Track Project. DRPT, which is funding the project, has delegated management of the Quantico Station Improvements sub-project to VRE.



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Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission 14700 Potomac Mills Road Woodbridge, VA 22192 703-580-6121 At DRPT's request, some elements of the third track (site, civil, track roadbed, ballast, and a retaining wall) have been added to the scope of the station improvements at this location for both design and construction in order to reduce the scope of the overall Arkendale Third Track Project and to expedite its completion. DRPT has increased the funding for the Quantico Station Improvements to provide for the requested additional scope items. The added scope elements will enhance safety and increase operational flexibility for CSXT, Amtrak and VRE trains while accommodating both the federal project (third track) and the passenger project at Quantico (track redesign and platform).

In January 2017, the VRE Operations Board authorized the Chief Executive Officer to issue a Task Order under the GEC VII contract to STV, Inc. for design services for the Quantico Station Improvements. The authorization was in the amount of \$755,348, plus a 10 percent contingency of \$75,535, for a total amount not to exceed \$830,833.

VRE requested STV submit a proposal to accomplish the additional work described herein. STV's proposed cost was compared to the level of effort anticipated and determined by VRE staff to be fair and reasonable.

## Fiscal Impact:

Funding is provided through the Commonwealth's Intercity Passenger Rail Operating and Capital (IPROC) fund.

## Virginia Railway Express Operations Board

## Resolution 9F-07-2020

## Authorization to Amend the GEC VII Task Order for Design Services for Quantico Station Improvements

**WHEREAS,** CSX Transportation, the Virginia Department of Rail and Public Transportation and Virginia Railway Express are collaborating to construct the Arkendale Third Track Project; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Virginia Department of Rail and Public Transportation, which is funding the Arkendale Third Track Project, has requested VRE manage the sub-project of Quantico Station Improvements; and,

**WHEREAS,** Final Design efforts have identified several elements requiring additional design work and additional stakeholder coordination; and,

**WHEREAS,** STV, Inc. has presented an acceptable proposal to perform the additional required work;

WHEREAS, NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the VRE Operations Board does hereby find that, in accordance with amendments adopted on April 22, 2020 to budget bills HB 29 and 30, meeting by electronic means is authorized because the nature of the declared emergency makes it both impracticable and unsafe for the Operations Board to assemble in a single location on July 17, 2020, and that meeting by electronic means is authorized because the items on the July 17, 2020 Operations Board Meeting Agenda are statutorily required or necessary to continue operations of the Operations Board and the discharge of the Operations Board's lawful purposes, duties, and responsibilities; and further find that meeting by electronic means is authorized because the items on the July 17, 2020 Operations Board Meeting Agenda are encompassed within the continuity of operations ordinances adopted by member localities of the Virginia Railway Express Operations Board to assure the continued operation of the government during the disaster posed by the public health emergency resulting from COVID-19; and,

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT,** the VRE Operations Board does hereby authorize the Acting Chief Executive Officer to amend the current Task Order for Design Services for Quantico Station Improvements executed with STV, Inc. under the General Engineering Consulting Services contract in the amount of \$217,072, plus a 10 percent contingency of \$21,707, for a total of \$238,779. This will increase the total authorization for this Task Order from \$830,833, to a total amount not to exceed \$1,069,612.

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Approved this  $17^{th}$  day of July 2020

Jeanine Lawson Secretary

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Gary Skinner Chairman



## <u>Agenda Item 9-G</u> <u>Action Item</u>

То:	Chairman Skinner and the VRE Operations Board
From:	Rich Dalton
Date:	July 17, 2020
Re:	Authorization to Withdraw from Standard Project Agreements with the Northern Virginia Transportation Authority for Lorton and Rippon Stations

## **Recommendation**:

The VRE Operations Board is asked to authorize the Acting Chief Executive Officer to formally withdraw from the existing Standard Project Agreements (SPAs) with the Northern Virginia Transportation Authority (NVTA) for the Lorton and Rippon station projects.

## Summary:

As a result of the Commonwealth's Transforming Rail in Virginia program, VRE's planned station expansions at Lorton and Rippon have changed substantially, and the NVTA funding originally committed to these two projects is no longer needed. In order to unencumber the remaining funding and make those funds available to other important congestion-reducing projects in the region, VRE and NVTA have jointly agreed that VRE should voluntarily withdraw from the existing project agreements.

## Background:

The planned station expansions at Lorton and Rippon were among the earliest projects funded by the NVTA, with \$7.9 million for construction of the Lorton second platform approved in 2013 and \$10.0 million for construction of the Rippon station expansion and second platform approved in 2015. Engineering and design work has been proceeding on these projects since their approval.



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Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission 14700 Potomac Mills Road Woodbridge, VA 22192 703-580-6121 In late 2019, the Commonwealth announced its plan to purchase railroad right of way from CSX Transportation (CSXT) in the RF&P corridor (where VRE's Fredericksburg Line operates), to fund the construction of a second Potomac River crossing at the Long Bridge, and to make other capacity investments that will transform passenger rail in the corridor and throughout the state. A new operating plan is also part of this program, and the plan will largely separate passenger and freight traffic onto different sides of the corridor.

This separation will have significant positive impacts on capacity and reliability, but it also eliminates the need for planned second platforms at a number of VRE stations in the corridor. After reviewing the future capital investments and new operating plan with representatives of DRPT and CSXT, it was determined that no additional platform investments will be needed at the Lorton Station until after 2030, and that only a limited set of investments – to rehabilitate and extend the existing platform and rehabilitate the existing overhead pedestrian bridge – will be needed at Rippon Station by 2030.

With these changes confirmed, the remaining NVTA funding on both projects is no longer needed. (The limited investments at Rippon can be completed with existing federal CMAQ and 5337/State of Good Repair funds.) NVTA's FY 2020-2025 update to the Six Year Program is already heavily oversubscribed, and VRE's withdrawal from the funding agreements would release the remaining funds to be available to other important congestion-reducing projects in the region. Approximately \$7.0 million of the original \$7.9 million of funding for Lorton and \$9.9 million of the original \$10.0 million funding for Rippon will be unencumbered by withdrawal.

With the concurrence of VRE, the NVTA has already acted at its July 9, 2020, meeting to cancel the project agreements for Lorton and Rippon in order to make the unencumbered funding available for allocation in a timely fashion. However, with the Operations Board's approval of this item, NVTA will instead record the action as a voluntary withdrawal.

## Fiscal Impact:

The planned Lorton Station second platform will be formally removed from VRE's Capital Improvement Program (CIP) as part of the FY 2022 budget adoption process. The Rippon Station project will be modified to reflect the more limited expansion and rehabilitation investments described above, and existing federal CMAQ and 5337/State of Good Repair funds are expected to be sufficient to complete those investments.

## Virginia Railway Express Operations Board

## Resolution 9G-07-2020

## Authorization to Withdraw from Standard Project Agreements with the Northern Virginia Transportation Authority for Lorton and Rippon Stations

**WHEREAS,** VRE has entered into Standard Project Agreements with the Northern Virginia Transportation Authority for funding to construct second platforms at the Lorton and Rippon VRE stations; and,

**WHEREAS,** in December 2019, the Virginia Department of Rail and Public Transportation announced its Transforming Rail in Virginia program, which in addition to major capital investments in track and bridge capacity also includes a new operating plan in the RF&P corridor where VRE's Fredericksburg Line trains operate that will largely separate passenger and freight rail traffic; and,

**WHEREAS,** this new operating plan eliminates the need for second platforms at Lorton and Rippon stations, and the remaining Northern Virginia Transportation Authority funding on these projects is no longer needed; and,

**WHEREAS,** the withdrawal of the two project agreements will unencumber approximately \$16.9 million of remaining funding and make those funds available for allocation to other important congestion-reducing projects in the region;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT,** the VRE Operations Board does hereby find that, in accordance with amendments adopted April 22, 2020 to budget bills HB 29 and 30, meeting by electronic means is authorized because the nature of the declared emergency makes it both impracticable and unsafe for the Operations Board to assemble in a single location on July 17, 2020, and that meeting by electronic means is authorized because the items on the July 17, 2020 Operations Board Meeting Agenda are statutorily required or necessary to continue operations of the Operations Board and the discharge of the Operations Board's lawful purposes, duties, and responsibilities; and further find that meeting by electronic means is authorized because the items on the July 17, 2020 Operations of the Virginia Railway Express Operations Board to assure the continued operation of the government during the disaster posed by the public health emergency resulting from COVID-19; and,

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**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT**, the VRE Operations Board does hereby authorize the Acting Chief Executive Officer to formally withdraw from the existing Standard Project Agreements with the Northern Virginia Transportation Authority for the Lorton and Rippon station projects.

Approved this 17<sup>th</sup> day of July 2020

Jeanine Lawson

Secretary

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Gary Skinner Chairman



## Agenda Item 10-A Information Item

То:	Chairman Skinner and the VRE Operations Board
From:	Rich Dalton
Date:	July 17, 2020
Re:	FY 2022 Key Budget Issues

## Introduction:

VRE staff will present a preliminary FY 2022 budget in September 2020 for the Operations Board's consideration, with final budget approval and referral to the Commissions scheduled for December 2020. VRE's financial planning process provides for initial consideration and discussion of key budget issues well before the preliminary budget presentation, which ensures challenges can be identified, publicly vetted, and fully addressed before final approval.

## **Background:**

VRE has adopted a financial planning process that provides for early consideration of key budget issues and assumptions. During the budget cycle, VRE staff will meet regularly with staff members from the jurisdictions to develop the proposed budget. The Finance Committee will also review major budget issues for referral to the Operations Board as required. In accordance with the Master Agreement, a consolidated financial projection over a six-year time frame is provided each year as a component of the annual budget.

The budget adoption process for FY 2022 will be unlike any in recent years as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic and its significant impacts on the economy and VRE's ridership. Staff continues to address certain key issues raised in last year's budget (e.g., diesel fuel hedging, the new DRPT methodology for capital grants), but broader economic and policy issues will be paramount. Accurately forecasting ridership and revenue in this environment will be difficult, and staff will likely select an approved projection for ridership/revenue relatively late in the process in order to have as much current information as possible. Amending the current year's (FY 2021) budget will also be a more substantive part of this



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Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission 14700 Potomac Mills Road Woodbridge, VA 22192 703-580-6121 year's process, as whatever is projected for FY 2022 must also incorporate projections for the rest of FY 2021.

## **Issue 1: Revenue Shortfalls and CARES Act Support**

Fare revenue in June 2020 remained down approximately 80% compared to a normal month, though it has dropped less than ridership, which is still down approximately 95% (though slowly and steadily rising). There is great uncertainty about how and when ridership may return – it is likely to depend on the overall economy, riders' perception of safety on trains (and VRE's ability to provide "distanced" capacity), and whether workers are required and able to return to their workplaces, which includes increases in telework, the need to care for other family members, and many other challenges. Given the uncertainty over the pace of growth and the final "equilibrium" level of daily ridership, as well as events that might change the current recovery trajectory (e.g., a successful vaccine, a major "second wave" in the fall), staff will examine a range of possible scenarios.

VRE must also prepare for a possible reduction in state support as a result of tax revenue shortfalls. The Commonwealth has been working to reprogram existing funds to support critical current operations, and operating assistance for the first quarter of FY 2021 has remained at the same level as FY 2020, but future funding levels are uncertain.

The CARES Act has provided VRE with funding equal to approximately two years' worth of fare revenue to backstop lost revenues and support additional COVID-related expenses. Thanks to this funding, VRE will remain committed to providing safe and reliable commuter rail service to customers in FY 2021 and 2022 while also ensuring local jurisdictions do not bear the burden of a fare revenue shortfall.

## Issue 2: Policy of Alternating 3% Fare and Subsidy Increases

The approved FY 2021 budget included a 3% increase in total jurisdictional subsidy and kept passenger fares unchanged. Subsidy payments for the first half of FY 2021 were received on time and in full from all nine jurisdictions despite the financial challenges posed by the pandemic.

Under the Board's existing policy direction to consider fare and subsidy increases in alternating years, the starting point for a "normal" FY 2022 would be zero change to the total subsidy and consideration of a 3% fare increase. However, given the challenges faced by both riders and jurisdictions, other alternatives will be considered.

At the outset of the pandemic, VRE committed that no request would be made for additional jurisdictional subsidy in FY 2021. In that same spirit, VRE will not ask for any jurisdictional subsidy increase in FY 2022. However, decisions must be made about subsidy allocation. A master agreement survey in October 2020 (which would generate the required data on the residence of riders) is unlikely to produce reliable results for the allocation of subsidy. VRE could instead use prior year data, which is similar to the

approach being taken by the Federal Transit Administration for federal funding allocations, but other approaches could be used.

There are three alternatives to consider with respect to passenger fares in FY 2022: 1) an increase of 3% or less; 2) no change; 3) a reduction in fares, either temporary or permanent. Staff will present these scenarios to the Operations Board and solicit feedback as the budget process continues.

## Issue 3: Expense Reductions in FY 2021 and FY 2022

Staff will be looking closely at all discretionary expenses in the operating budget, particularly consulting, professional services, any new non-critical initiatives, and the replacement or upgrade of existing items (furniture, equipment, etc.), and will be deferring or eliminating these expenditures where practical. In addition to COLA and merit increases, the previously approved hiring of five new employees in FY 2021 has also been deferred.

## Issue 4: Transforming Rail in Virginia Program

As discussed previously with the Operations Board, the Commonwealth's rail transformation program will have a substantial impact on VRE's six-year Capital Improvement Program (CIP), and changes to project scopes, timelines, and funding sources will be fully fleshed out during the upcoming budget process. In addition, a track access agreement with the new Virginia Passenger Rail Authority is being negotiated and is expected to come into effect during FY 2021.

As part of the FY 2021 budget approval, the Operations Board also authorized staff to continue discussions with DRPT about a contribution to the rail transformation program from VRE's Commuter Rail Operating and Capital (C-ROC) funds. These discussions – which contemplate a combination of debt issuance proceeds and pay-as-you-go cash – will occur separately from, but in parallel with, the budget adoption process. We do not expect to recommend any further C-ROC commitments to specific VRE capital projects (currently \$15 million is committed to the Crystal City Station and \$30 million to the L'Enfant Station and Fourth Track, covering FY2019-2021 C-ROC funds) until these negotiations are resolved.

## **Issue 5: Insurance**

VRE is required to have at least \$295 million of liability insurance coverage in order to operate. In recent years, VRE has been able to get the necessary coverage through international underwriters without much change year-to-year in premiums.

However, VRE faced significant challenges this year (FY 2021) in securing the required coverage, as did other commuter and freight rail properties. These challenges are unrelated to our operations or safety record, but instead are the result of major capacity constraints in the insurance markets related to West Coast wildfires and other claims. Ultimately, all the required coverage was secured, but the premiums increased substantially, and significant uncertainty remains about future years.

VRE and other operators cannot wait and hope these issues resolve themselves. VRE staff will be working with representatives of the Commuter Rail Coalition, the Federal Railroad Administration, and Virginia's Department of Risk Management to identify and implement alternative approaches to securing liability insurance that provide the necessary coverage at a sustainable cost.

## Issue 6: Baseline Capital Charge Contributions for Northeast Corridor

Capital renewal is the ongoing repair/replacement of the existing railroad infrastructure in the Northeast Corridor (NEC) that is required to ensure reliable and safe train operations. VRE is included in NEC through our use of Union Station. A key component of capital renewal is the Baseline Capital Charge (BCC) Program, which is funded by ongoing capital contributions of Amtrak and the commuter railroads, including VRE. VRE makes this BCC contribution as part of its access agreement with Amtrak.

The BCC amount is determined by the "NEC Commuter and Intercity Rail Cost Allocation Policy," and the NEC Commission has recently changed that cost allocation policy. The preliminary result of the changes is that VRE's required annual contribution could increase from approximately \$600,000 to over \$3 million. Discussions are ongoing with Amtrak and the NEC Commission on the allocation methods and the timing of any costs that may be incurred.

## Next Steps:

**September 2020**: Present preliminary FY 2022 budget and CIP to the Operations Board

**October/November 2020**: In-depth review of preliminary budget with Operations Board, Finance Committee, and jurisdictional staff

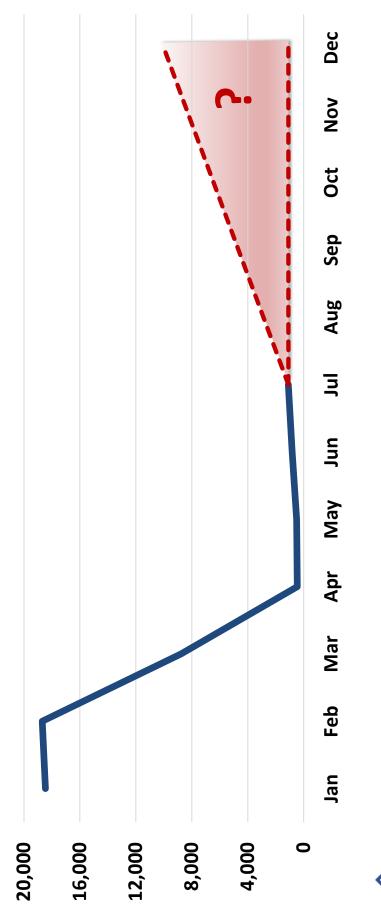
**December 2020**: Present final FY 2022 budget and CIP for Operations Board approval and referral to the Commissions

# FY 2022 Key Budget Issues

- Broader economic and policy issues will be paramount
- Accurately forecasting ridership and revenue will be challenging, and we will select an approved projection near the end of the process
- Amending the current year budget (FY 2021) will be an important part of the process

## **Issue 1: Revenue Shortfalls and CARES Act Support**

# **Average Daily Ridership CY 2020**



REY VIRGINIA RAILWAY EXPRESS

## Issue 2: Alternating Fare and **Subsidy Increases**

- No subsidy increase for
   FY 2022, but decision will
   be required on allocation
- Normally would be a year
   to propose fare increase
   but will more explicitly
   consider three options:
- 1) Increase of 3% or less
  - 2) No change
    - 3) Reduction



## Issue 3: Expense Reductions in FY2021 and FY 2022

services, non-critical initiatives, and replacement of Deferring/eliminating consulting, professional existing items (IT, furniture, etc.)

# Issue 4 : Transforming Rail in

# Virginia Program

- Changes to project scopes, timelines and funding
- New track access agreements
- Commitment of C-ROC funds (cash and debt)

# **Issue 5: Insurance**

- Secured required insurance for FY 2021 but with significant premium increase
- Will work with DRM, federal stakeholders and other commuter railroads to find sustainable solution

# **Issue 6: Capital Renewal Charges** for Northeast Corridor (NEC)

- Change in methodology for required capital renewal charges paid through Amtrak access contract
- Discussions ongoing with Amtrak and NEC Commission



## Agenda Item 10-B Information Item

То:	Chairman Skinner and the VRE Operations Board
From:	Rich Dalton
Date:	July 17, 2020
Re:	Spending Authority Report

On May 15, 2015, the VRE Operations Board approved increasing the Chief Executive Officer's spending authority from \$50,000 to \$100,000. It was resolved any purchase of greater than \$50,000 would be communicated to the Board as an information item.

- On June 5, 2020, VRE issued a Task Order in the amount of \$97,722 to STV Inc. under the Mechanical Engineering Consulting Services VII contract to provide engineering services in support of Life Cycle Maintenance projects.
- On June 10, 2020, VRE issued a Task Order in the amount of \$76,951 to Keolis Rail Services Virginia, LLC under the Maintenance Services for Commuter Rail contract to purchase and install social distancing floor decals on VRE's passenger railcars.
- On June 10, 2020, VRE issued a Task Order in the amount of \$79,675 to Keolis Rail Services Virginia, LLC under the Maintenance Services for Commuter Rail contract to purchase and install social distancing seat decals on VRE's passenger railcars.
- On June 10, 2020, VRE issued a Task Order in the amount of \$60,021 to Keolis Rail Services Virginia, LLC under the Maintenance Services for Commuter Rail contract to purchase and install hand sanitizer dispensers on VRE's passenger railcars.



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- On June 18, 2020, VRE issued a Purchase Order in the amount of \$78,475 to Technology International, Inc. for the purchase of five utility carts to be utilized at the Broad Run and Crossroads Maintenance and Storage Facilities.
- On June 22, 2020, VRE issued a Task Order in the amount of \$99,376 to STV Inc. under the Mechanical Engineering Consulting Services VII contract to provide general engineering services for the 1<sup>st</sup> year of the contract.
- On June 25, 2020, VRE issued a Task Order in the amount of \$85,257 to STV Inc. under the Mechanical Engineering Consulting Services VII contract to provide National Transit Database (NTD) and asset management reporting.
- On June 25, 2020, VRE issued a Task Order in the amount of \$92,111 to STV Inc. under the Mechanical Engineering Consulting Services VII contract to provide oversight for the ongoing overhaul of VRE's railcar trucks.

ITEM 7 September 3, 2020 PRTC Regular Meeting

## Public Comment Time

Public comments will not be received during the meeting; however, those wanting to comment should send written comments, limited to one (1) page, to CRodrigo@OmniRide.com by September 2, 2020 at 5:00 p.m.

ITEM 8 September 3, 2020 PRTC Regular Meeting

## PRTC Consent Agenda Action Items

- 8.1 Approve Consent Agenda
- 8.2 Acceptance of the Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission Monthly Jurisdictional Financial Report for the Period Ended May 31, 2020

ITEM 8.1 September 3, 2020 PRTC Regular Meeting Res. No. 20-09-\_\_\_

**MOTION:** 

SECOND:

RE: APPROVE CONSENT AGENDA – SEPTEMBER 3, 2020

ACTION:

**WHEREAS**, the Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission ("PRTC" or the "Commission") was presented with a consent agenda; and

WHEREAS, an opportunity was afforded for items to be added or deleted from the consent agenda.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission does hereby approve the consent agenda of September 3, 2020 as presented/amended.

<u>Votes</u>: Ayes: Abstain: Nays: Absent from Vote: Alternate Present Not Voting: Absent from Meeting:

ITEM 8.2 September 3, 2020 PRTC Regular Meeting Res. No. 20-09-\_\_\_\_

## **MOTION:**

SECOND:

RE: ACCEPTANCE OF THE POTOMAC AND RAPPAHANNOCK TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION MONTHLY JURISDICTIONAL FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE PERIOD ENDED MAY 31, 2020

## ACTION:

**WHEREAS,** a financial report for each jurisdiction is prepared each month for presentation to the Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission ("PRTC" or the "Commission"); and

**WHEREAS**, this report supplies information on the current month and year-to-date motor fuel tax collections; earned interest, other revenues, state administration cost, expenditures, transfers and encumbrances; and

WHEREAS, this information covers the PRTC as a whole, as well as each separate jurisdiction.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission does hereby accept the Jurisdictional Financial Report for the period ended May 31, 2020.

<u>Votes</u>: Ayes: Nays: Abstentions: Absent from Vote: Alternate Present Not Voting: Absent from Meeting:

## Fuel Tax Revenues Budget to Actual Eleven Months Ended May 2020

	FY20 YTD	FY20 YTD	Variance	Variance
	Budget	Actual	%	\$
Prince William County	12,143,908	12,815,648	6%	671,740
Stafford	3,895,192	3,995,399	3%	100,207
Manassas	888,433	793,749	-11%	(94,684)
Manassas Park	671,000	632,136	-6%	(38,864)
Fredericksburg	1,428,533	1,247,676	-13%	(180,857)
Spotsylvania	4,353,433	5,038,217	16%	684,784
Total	23,380,499	24,522,825	5%	1,142,326

Year to date budget reflects updated FY2020 motor fuels tax revenue projections done in April 2020 as part of the FY2021 revised budget process.

### PRTC COMMISSION MEETING DATE SEPTEMBER 3, 2020

## MONTHLY FINANCIAL REPORT FOR ALL JURISDICTIONS FOR THE ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY 31, 2020

### FY20 Beginning Fund Balance

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## <u>\$ 21,944,377.83</u>(1)

	(	Current Month		Year To Date
Revenue from DMV Audit (Pre-CROC)	\$	-	\$	-
Gross Tax Revenue	\$	1,900,279.06	s	33,216,246.82
Less: Commuter Rail Operating and Capital Fund (CROC)	\$	(789,201.00)	\$	(8,639,141.00)
Less: State Admin Cost	S	(54,281.32)	\$	(54,281.32)
Net Tax Revenue	\$	1,056,796.74	\$	24,522,824.50
Interest from Investment	\$	12,527.04	5	332,002.14
Total Tax & Investment Revenue	\$	1,069,323,78	\$	24,854,826.64
Expenditures/Transfers	\$	(1,765,429.99)	s	(24,758,174 99)
Reimbursement from State Grant/Transfer from Other Governments	S	-	\$	137,185.00
PRTC Operating Fund Balance	\$	-	\$	3,225,000.00
FUND BALANCE (BEFORE UNEXPENDED ADOPTED RESOLUTIONS)				
PLUS YEAR TO DATE REVENUE LESS EXPENDITURES c			\$	25,403,214.48
FY20 Projected Motor Fuel Revenue				
(for remainder of fiscal year)			\$	1,272,192.41
FY20 Projected State Grant (remainder)			\$	
LESS: Unexpended Adopted Resolutions			\$	(9,122,666.32) (*)
Other Financing Sources/(Uses)				
Claims and Judgments		-		-
Jurisdictional Reimbursement		\$0.00		\$0.00
Total Projected Unencumbered Balance			<u></u>	17,552,740.57 (2)

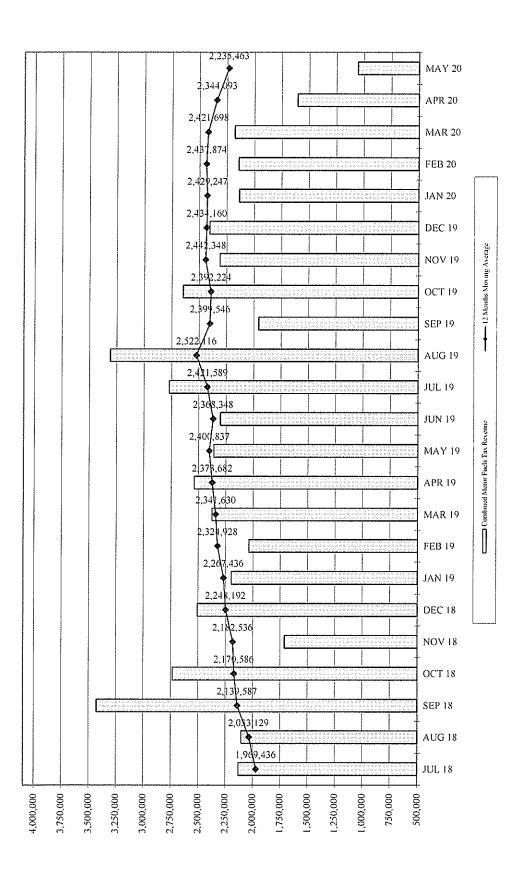
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08-06-07	\$	173,000.00	(1)	s	-	S	173,000.00
09-11-07	\$	93,139.69	(1)	s	-	\$	93,139.69
10-11-05	\$	234,500.00	(1)	\$		\$	234,500.00
13-06-08	S	200,000.00	(1)	\$	-	\$	200,000.00
15-05-07	S	371,164,00	(1)	\$	-	\$	371,164.00
17-07-06	\$	116,000.00	(1)	\$	•	S	116,000.00
17-07-07	\$	206,000.00	(1)	S	-	\$	206,000.00
18-06-08	\$	-	(1)	S	-	S	
18-11-07	\$	9,467.87	(1)	s	9,356.60	S	111.27
19-04-05	\$	708,567.75	(1)	\$	708,567.75	S	-
19-06-10	\$	432,642.00	(1)	\$	-	\$	432,642.00
19-06-11	S	5,059,745.00	(1a)	\$	5,059,745.00	\$	-
19-06-14	\$	17,848,000.00	(1a)	\$	17,848,000.00	\$	-
19-11-08	s	15,000.00		\$		\$	15,000,00
19-11-09	\$	10,000.00		\$	-	\$	10,000.00
20-01-06	\$	1,200,000.00		S	1,047,505.64	S	152,494,36
20-03-05	\$	85,000.00		\$	85,000.00	S	· -
20-06-06	\$	4,518,615.00		\$	•	S	4,518,615,00
20-06-07	S	2,600,000.00		\$	-	\$	2,600,000.00
Total	S	33,880,841,31		\$	24,758,174,99	\$	9,122,666.32 (*

(1) Remaining balance @ 6/30/19 (1a) June 2019 resolution for FY20 expenditures

(2) Projected Unencumbered Balance equals Fund Balance plus FY20 Projected Revenue (for remainder of fiscal year) minus Unexpended Adopted Resolutions, plus Other Financing Sources.

(\*) Resolutions which have been encumbered will not be expended until funds become available.

## PRTC NET FUEL TAX COLLECTIONS FY 19 and FY 20



## PRTC COMMISSION MEETING DATE SEPTEMBER 3, 2020

## MONTHLY FINANCIAL REPORT FOR PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY FOR THE ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY 31, 2020

## FY20 Beginning Fund Balance

\$ 9,116,760.25 (1)

	С	urrent Month	Year To Date
Revenue from DMV Audit (Pre-CROC)	\$	_	\$ -
Gross Tax Revenue	\$	974,429.12	\$ 17,317,480.06
Less: Commuter Rail Operating and Capital Fund (CROC)	\$	(404,688.16)	\$ (4,473,997.57)
Less: State Admin Cost	\$	(27,834.49)	\$ (27,834.49)
Net Tax Revenue	\$	541,906.47	\$ 12,815,648.00
Interest from Investment	\$	3,392.38	\$ 133,111.97
Total Tax & Investment Revenue	\$	545,298.85	\$ 12,948,759.97
Expenditures/Transfers	\$	-	\$ (16,868,300.00)
PRTC Operating Fund Balance	\$	-	\$ 2.984.000.00
FUND BALANCE (BEFORE UNEXPENDED ADOPTED RESOLUTIONS)			
PLUS YEAR TO DATE REVENUE LESS EXPENDITURES			 8,181,220.22
FY20 Projected Motor Fuel Revenue			
(for remainder of fiscal year)			432,252.00
LESS: Unexpended Adopted Resolutions			\$ (173,000.00) (*)
Other Financing Sources/(Uses)			
Claims and Judgments		0.00	-
Jurisdictional Reimbursement		\$0.00	 \$0.00
Total Projected Unencumbered Balance			\$ 8,440,472.22 (2)

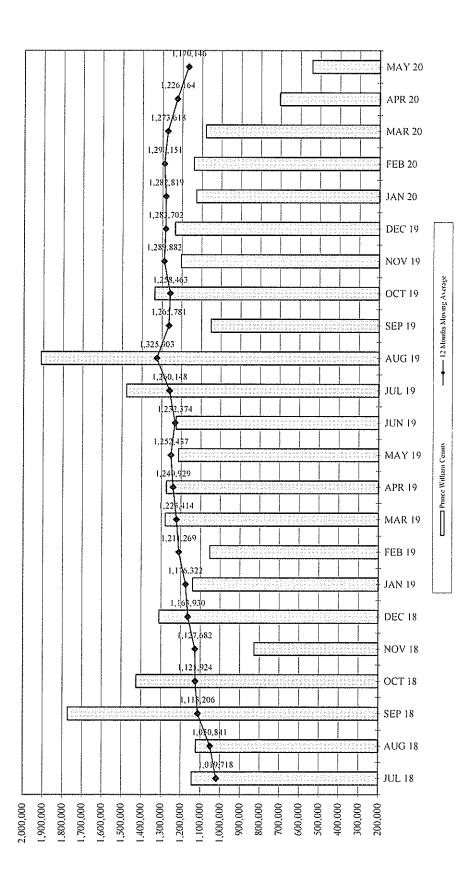
ADOPTED RESOLUTIONS	 AMOUNT		EX	PENDITURES	!	BALANCE
08-06-07	\$ 173,000.00	(1)	\$	-	\$	173,000.00
19-06-14	\$ 16,868,300.00	(1a)	\$	16,868,300.00	\$	-
Total	\$ 17,041,300.00		\$	16,868,300.00	\$	173,000.00 (*)

(1) Remaining balance @ 6/30/19 (1a) June 2019 resolution for FY20 expenditures

(2) Projected Unencumbered Balance equals Fund Balance plus FY20 Projected Revenue (for remainder of fiscal year) minus Unexpended Adopted Resolutions, plus Other Financing Sources.

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## PRTC NET FUEL TAX COLLECTIONS FV19 and FV20



## MONTHLY FINANCIAL REPORT FOR STAFFORD COUNTY FOR THE ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY 31, 2020

## FY20 Beginning Fund Balance

\$ 5.653,804.91 (1)

	C	urrent Month	Year To Date
Revenue from DMV Audit (Pre-CROC)	s	-	\$ _
Gross Tax Revenue	\$	261.571.25	\$ 5.408.068.26
Less: Commuter Rail Operating and Capital Fund (CROC)	\$	(108.632.62)	\$ (1.405.197.61)
Less: State Admin Cost	_\$	(7,471.76)	\$ (7.471.76)
Net Tax Revenue	\$	145.466.87	\$ 3,995,398.89
Interest from Investment	\$	3,747.44	\$ 79,182.82
Total Tax & Investment Revenue	\$	149,214.31	\$ 4.074.581.71
Expenditures/Transfers	\$	-	\$ (2,457,020.00)
PRTC Operating Fund Balance	\$	-	\$ 63,300.00
FUND BALANCE (BEFORE UNEXPENDED ADOPTED RESOLUTIONS)			
PLUS YEAR TO DATE REVENUE LESS EXPENDITURES			 7.334.666.62
FY20 Projected Motor Fuel Revenue			
(for remainder of fiscal year)			253,901.11
LESS: Unexpended Adopted Resolutions			\$ (4.518.615.00) (*)
Other Financing Sources/(Uses)			
Claims and Judgments		\$0.00	\$0.00
Jurisdictional Reimbursement	<u></u>	\$0.00	 \$0.00
Total Projected Unencumbered Balance			 3.069.952.73 (2)

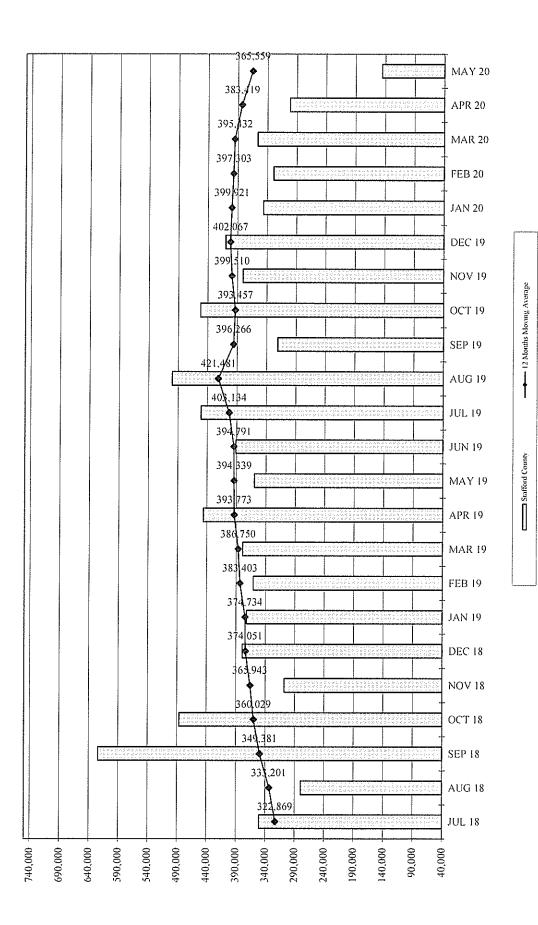
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(1) Remaining balance @ 6/30/19 (1a) June 2019 resolution for FY20 expenditures

(2) Projected Unencumbered Balance equals Fund Balance plus FY20 Projected Revenue (for remainder of fiscal year) minus Unexpended Adopted Resolutions, plus Other Financing Sources.

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PRTC NET FUEL TAX COLLECTIONS FY19 and FY20



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847.558.91 (1)

## MONTHLY FINANCIAL REPORT FOR CITY OF MANASSAS FOR THE ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY 31, 2020

Current Month Year To Date Revenue from DMV Audit (Pre-CROC) \$ \$ -. Gross Tax Revenue \$ \$ 78.011.84 1.082.395.79 Less: Commuter Rail Operating and Capital Fund (CROC) \$ \$ (32.398.94)(286, 417.97)Less: State Admin Cost \$ \$ (2.228.40)(2.228.40)Net Tax Revenue \$ 43,384.50 \$ 793.749.42 Interest from Investment \$ \$ 294.67 7.056.17 Total Tax & Investment Revenue \$ \$ 43.679.17 800,805,59 \$ Expenditures/Transfers \$ (1.166.042.00)-Reimbursement From State Grant and Transfer from City of Manassas \$ \$ -137.185.00 PRTC Operating Fund Balance \$ \$ 50,600,00 FUND BALANCE (BEFORE UNEXPENDED ADOPTED RESOLUTIONS) PLUS YEAR TO DATE REVENUE LESS EXPENDITURES \$ 670.107.50 FY20 Projected Motor Fuel Revenue (for remainder of fiscal year) 175.450.58 FY20 Projected State Grant (remainder) LESS: Unexpended Adopted Resolutions \$ (\*) Other Financing Sources/(Uses) Claims and Judgments \$0.00 \$0.00 Jurisdictional Reimbursement \$0.00 \$0.00Total Projected Unencumbered Balance 845.558.08 (2) \$

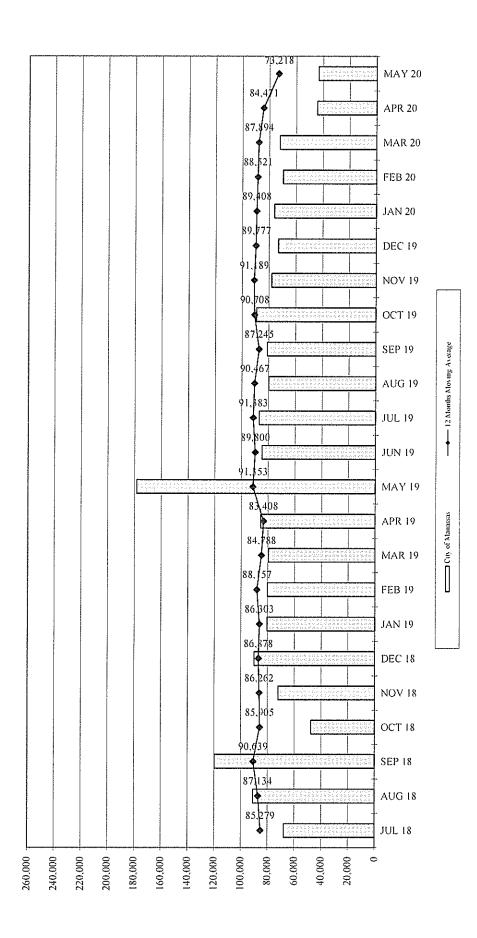
ADOPTED RESOLUTIONS	AMOUNT EXPENDITURE		PENDITURES	BA	LANCE		
18-06-08	\$	-	(1)	\$	-	\$	-
19-06-11	\$	694,742.00	(1a)	\$	694,742.00	\$	-
19-06-14	\$	471,300.00	(1a)	\$	471.300.00	\$	-
Total		1,166,042.00		\$	1.166.042.00	\$	- (*

(1) Remaining balance @ 6/30/19 (1a) June 2019 resolution for FY20 expenditures

(2) Projected Unencumbered Balance equals Fund Balance plus FY20 Projected Revenue (for remainder of fiscal year) minus Unexpended Adopted Resolutions, plus Other Financing Sources.

(\*) Resolutions which have been encumbered will not be expended until funds become available.

## PRTC NET FUEL TAX COLLECTIONS FY19 and FY20



## MONTHLY FINANCIAL REPORT FOR CITY OF MANASSAS PARK FOR THE ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY 31, 2020

### FY20 Beginning Fund Balance

\$ 2,854,976.21 (1)

	Current Month			Year To Date		
Revenue from DMV Audit (Pre-CROC)	\$	-	\$	<u>.</u>		
Gross Tax Revenue	\$	56.663.30	\$	855,225.13		
Less: Commuter Rail Operating and Capital Fund (CROC)	\$	(23,532.72)	\$	(221,470.79)		
Less: State Admin Cost	\$	(1.618.59)	_\$	(1,618.59)		
Net Tax Revenue	\$	31,511,99	\$	632.135.75		
Interest from Investment	\$	1.540.32		42,359.28		
Total Tax & Investment Revenue	\$	33.052.31	\$	674.495.03		
Expenditures/Transfers	\$	-	\$	(740.185.00)		
PRTC Operating Fund Balance	\$	-	\$	27,100.00		
FUND BALANCE (BEFORE UNEXPENDED ADOPTED RESOLUTIONS)						
PLUS YEAR TO DATE REVENUE LESS EXPENDITURES			_\$	2,816,386.24		
FY20 Projected Motor Fuel Revenue						
(for remainder of fiscal year)				99.864.25		
LESS: Unexpended Adopted Resolutions			\$	(1,245,803.69) (*)		
Other Financing Sources/(Uses)						
Claims and Judgments		\$0.00		\$0.00		
Jurisdictional Reimbursement		\$0.00		\$0.00		
Total Projected Unencumbered Balance				1,670,446.80 (2)		

Total	\$	1,985,988.69	•	\$	740,185.00	\$	1,245.803.69 (*		
20-03-05	s	85,000.00		\$	85,000.00	\$	-		
19-11-09	\$	10.000.00		\$	-	\$	10,000.00		
19-11-08	\$	15.000.00		\$	-	\$	15,000.00		
19-06-14	\$	249.700.00	(1a)	\$	249.700.00	\$	-		
19-06-11	\$	405,485.00	(1a)	\$	405,485.00	\$	-		
17-07-07	\$	206,000.00	(1)	\$	-	\$	206,000.00		
17-07-06	\$	116,000.00	(1)	\$	-	\$	116.000.00		
15-05-07	\$	371,164.00	(1)	\$	-	\$	371.164.00		
13-06-08	\$	200,000.00	(1)	\$	-	\$	200.000.00		
10-11-05	\$	234.500.00	(1)	\$	-	\$	234,500.00		
09-11-07	\$	93,139.69	(1)	\$	-	\$	93,139.69		
RESOLUTIONS		AMOUNT			EXPENDITURES		BALANCE		

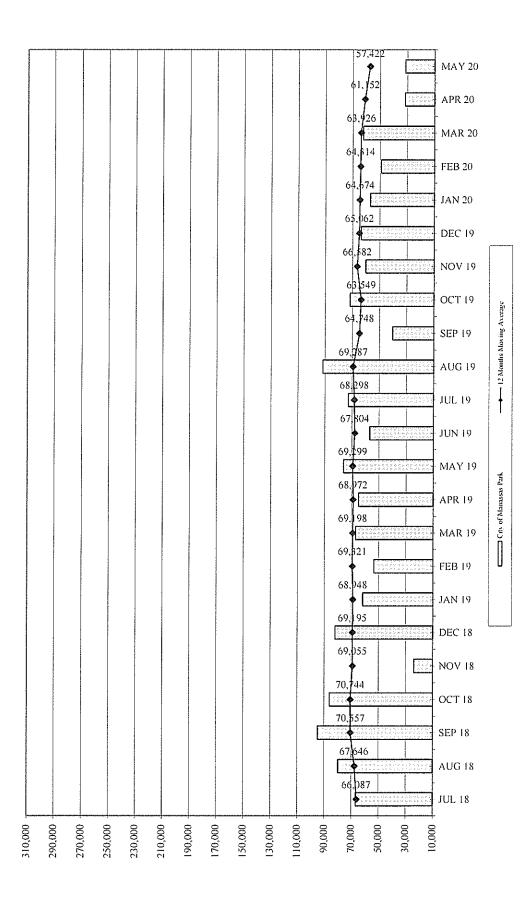
(1) Remaining balance @ 6/30/19 (1a) June 2019 resolution for FY20 expenditures

(2) Projected Unencumbered Balance equals Fund Balance plus FY20 Projected Revenue

(for remainder of fiscal year) minus Unexpended Adopted Resolutions. plus Other Financing Sources.

(\*) Resolutions which have been encumbered will not be expended until funds become available.

# PRTC NET FUEL TAX COLLECTIONS FY19 and FY20



#### POTOMAC AND RAPPAHANNOCK TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

#### MONTHLY FINANCIAL REPORT FOR CITY OF FREDERICKSBURG FOR THE ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY 31, 2020

#### FY20 Beginning Fund Balance

\$ 1.530.475.74 (1)

		urrent Month	Year To Date	
Revenue from DMV Audit (Pre-CROC)	\$	-	\$	-
Gross Tax Revenue	\$	42,698.24	\$	1.681,219.19
Less: Commuter Rail Operating and Capital Fund (CROC)	\$	(17,732.92)	\$	(432,323.99)
Less: State Admin Cost	\$	(1,219.67)	\$	(1,219.67)
Net Tax Revenue	\$	23,745.65	\$	1.247.675.53
Interest from Investment	\$	1,271.93	\$	25,484.63
Total Tax & Investment Revenue	\$	25,017.58	\$	1.273.160.16
Expenditures/Transfers	\$	-	\$	(361,328.00)
PRTC Operating Fund Balance	\$	-	\$	28,100.00
FUND BALANCE (BEFORE UNEXPENDED ADOPTED RESOLUTIONS)				
PLUS YEAR TO DATE REVENUE LESS EXPENDITURES			\$	2,470,407.90
FY20 Projected Motor Fuel Revenue				210 224 12
(for remainder of fiscal year)				310.724.47
LESS: Unexpended Adopted Resolutions			\$	(432.642.00) (*)
Other Financing Sources/(Uses)				
Claims and Judgments		\$0.00		\$0.00
Jurisdictional Reimbursement		\$0.00		\$0.00
Total Projected Unencumbered Balance			\$	2.348,490.37 (2)

ADOPTED						
RESOLUTIONS	 AMOUNT	-	_EXI	PENDITURES	<u> </u>	BALANCE
19-06-10	\$ 432,642.00	(1)	\$	-	\$	432.642.00
19-06-11	\$ 321,028.00	(1a)	\$	321.028.00	\$	-
19-06-14	\$ 40,300.00	( <b>1</b> a)	\$	40,300.00	\$	-
Total	\$ 793.970.00	-	\$	361.328.00	\$	432,642.00 (*)

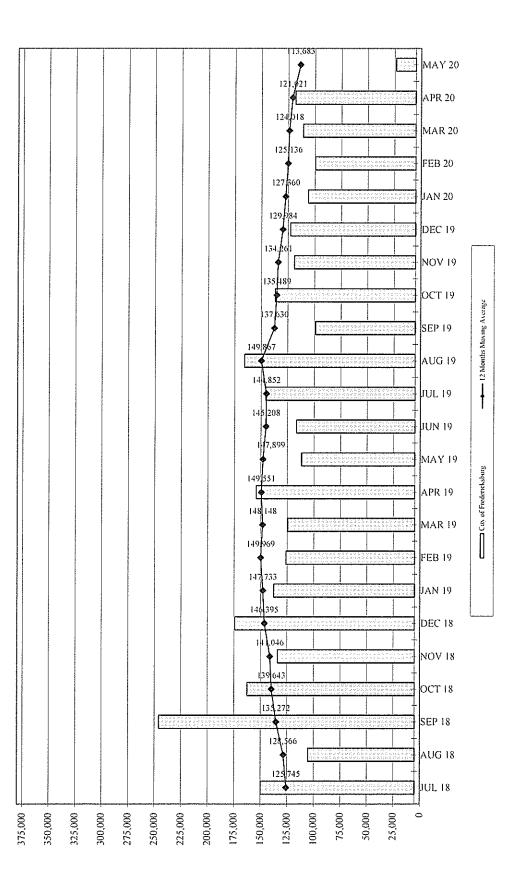
(1) Remaining balance (a) 6/30/19 (1a) June 2019 resolution for FY20 expenditures

(2) Projected Unencumbered Balance equals Fund Balance plus FY20 Projected Revenue

(for remainder of fiscal year) minus Unexpended Adopted Resolutions. plus Other Financing Sources.

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# PRTC NET FUEL TAX COLLECTIONS FY19 and FY20



#### MONTHLY FINANCIAL REPORT FOR SPOTSYLVANIA COUNTY FOR THE ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING MAY 31, 2020

#### FY20 Beginning Fund Balance

\$ 1.940.801.81 (1)

		Current Month	Year To Date		
Revenue from DMV Audit (Pre-CROC)	\$	-	\$	-	
Gross Tax Revenue	\$	486,905.31	\$	6.871.858.39	
Less: Commuter Rail Operating and Capital Fund (CROC)	\$	(202,215.64)	\$	(1.819.733.07)	
Less: State Admin Cost		(13,908.41)	\$	(13,908.41)	
Net Tax Revenue	\$	270.781.26	\$	5,038,216.91	
Interest from Investment		2,280.30	\$	44,807.27	
Total Tax & Investment Revenue	\$	273,061.56	\$	5,083,024,18	
Expenditures/Transfers	\$	(1.765.429.99)	\$	(3.165,299.99)	
PRTC Operating Fund Balance	\$	-	\$	71.900.00	
FUND BALANCE (BEFORE UNEXPENDED ADOPTED RESOLUTIONS)					
PLUS YEAR TO DATE REVENUE LESS EXPENDITURES				3.930,426.00	
FY20 Projected Motor Fuel Revenue					
(for remainder of fiscal year)				-	
LESS: Unexpended Adopted Resolutions			\$	(2.752.605.63) (*)	
Other Financing Sources/(Uses)					
Claims and Judgments		\$0.00		\$0.00	
Jurisdictional Reimbursement		\$0.00		\$0.00	
Total Projected Unencumbered Balance			\$	1.177.820.37 (2)	

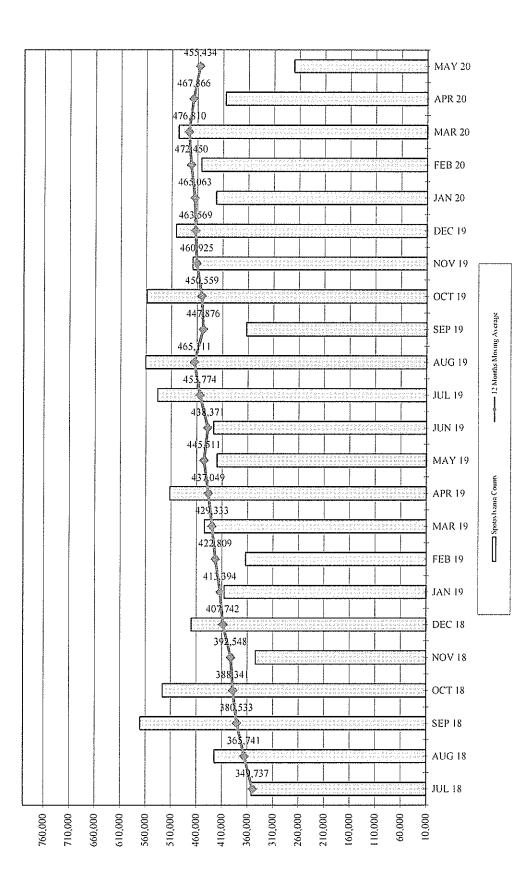
ADOPTED						
RESOLUTIONS	 AMOUNT	-	EX	PENDITURES	 BALANCE	•
18-11-07	\$ 9.467.87	(1)	\$	9.356.60	\$ [11.27	
19-04-05	\$ 708,567.75	(1)	\$	708,567.75	\$ -	
19-06-11	\$ 1,285.670.00	(la)	\$	1.285.670.00	\$ -	
19-06-14	\$ 114,200.00	(la)	\$	14.200.00	\$ -	
20-01-06	\$ 1.200.000.00		\$	1,047,505.64	\$ 152,494.36	
20-06-07	\$ 2,600,000.00		\$	-	\$ 2,600,000.00	
Total	\$ 5,917,905.62	-	\$	3,165,299.99	 2.752.605.63	(*)

(1) Remaining balance (a) 6/30/19 (1a) June 2019 resolution for FY20 expenditures

(2) Projected Unencumbered Balance equals Fund Balance plus FY20 Projected Revenue(for remainder of fiscal year) minus Unexpended Adopted Resolutions, plus Other Financing Sources.

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PRTC NET FUEL TAX COLLECTIONS FY19 and FY20



ITEM 9 September 3, 2020 PRTC Regular Meeting

## PRTC Executive Director's Time

- 9.1 Executive Director's Report (verbal)
  - COVID-19 Response and Update
  - Western Facility Update
  - Passenger Rail Authority Update
- 9.2 Employee Above and Beyond Recognition

ITEM 10 September 3, 2020 PRTC Regular Meeting

# Presentations and Information Items

10.1 Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Assessment (presentation)



#### Purpose of the Assessment

 Address recommendations of the Prince William County Office of Equality, Affirmative Employment and Diversity

## **Objectives of the Assessment**

Help OmniRide develop a cultural change program to:

- Promote an inclusive work environment that ensures equal employment opportunities for all, values diversity and empowers employees so that they may contribute and participate to their fullest potential in support of OmniRide's mission.
- Promote mutual trust, understanding and respect among the employees of OmniRide.
- Identify problems that demotivate people, diminish performance, or compromise employee commitment to OmniRide goals.
- Improve development of the OmniRide workforce through training and education.
- Communicate the organization's overall strategic goals and objectives in a manner that will help build a positive work culture, and minimize unfavorable employee perceptions and/or concerns.
- Understand and prioritize key areas that need to be enhanced and included in the organization's short- and long-term strategic planning and budgeting.

EXSTARE 2

## **Execution of the Assessment**

#### **Employee awareness**

- Why the assessment was being undertaken
- Why employee opinions were critical
- How employee opinions would help identify key issues and shape recommendations

#### **Employee engagement**

- OmniRide Employee Advisory Group
- Employee interviews
- Employee survey (OmniRide and First Transit)

#### **Examination of Policies and Practices**

- OmniRide policies/guidelines and practices
- Other agencies diversity equity, and inclusions policies and practices

#### **Reports and Presentations**

Monthly updates to Employee Advisory Group

#### **Findings and Recommendations**

- Analysis of the state of the organization
- Determine areas of greatest need and opportunity for cultural change
- Inform the Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Strategic Plan

EXSTARE

## **Employee Interviews and Survey**

#### **Focus of Interviews**

- Understanding of diversity, equity and inclusion
- Workplace culture and experiences
- Communication
- Training needs
- Areas of greatest need and opportunity for cultural change

#### Interviewees

- Broad cross-section of employees
- Recommended by Employee Advisory Group based on a diversity of factors (e.g., tenure, position, department)
- 20 OmniRide employees

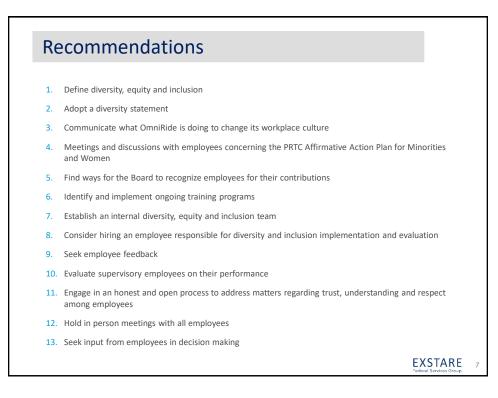
#### Survey

- 280 employees (OmniRide and First Transit full- and part-time combined)
- 122 respondents

EXSTARE 4









# Next Steps

## I Welcome Your Questions and Comments

# Thank you!

Nancy K. West, Managing Member Exstare Federal Services Group, LLC Nancy@exstarefederalservices.com (703) 765-4050

EXSTARE 9

#### PRTC Action Items

- 11.1 Resolution to Ratify Action of the Executive Director to Conduct an Emergency Procurement with Mansfield Oil Company for Ultra-Low Sulfur Diesel Fuel
- **11.2** Authorize the Executive Director to Execute a Contract with James River Solutions to Purchase Ultra-Low Sulfur Diesel Fuel
- **11.3** Authorize the Executive Director to Extend the Pilot Period for the Paratransit Service in the Western Service Area
- 11.4 Authorize the Executive Director to Award a Task Order Contract to Siddall Communications, LLC for Vanpool Alliance Program Marketing Services

MOTION:

SECOND:

## RE: RESOLUTION TO RATIFY ACTION OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR TO CONDUCT AN EMERGENCY PROCUREMENT WITH MANSFIELD OIL COMPANY FOR ULTRA-LOW SULFUR DIESEL FUEL

#### ACTION:

WHEREAS, the Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission ("PRTC" or "Commission") is part of a cooperative contract for the Mid-Atlantic Purchasing Group through the Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments (MWCOG); and

**WHEREAS**, the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority (WMATA) is the lead agency and handles all procurements for the provision of diesel fuel for Washington, DC regional transit providers that are interested in being part of this pact; and

**WHEREAS**, the current contract for diesel fuel between PRTC and Mansfield Oil Company, #17-07, expired on April 27, 2020; and

**WHEREAS**, PRTC was in the middle of negotiating an extension of the fuel contract when an award was made by WMATA to James River Solutions; and

WHEREAS, an emergency procurement, utilizing the approved PRTC emergency purchases policy originally approved on October 7, 2004, to purchase fuel was arranged with Mansfield Oil Company on July 28, 2020; and

**WHEREAS**, in accordance with PRTC's emergency purchase policy, the PRTC Chair concurred with the emergency procurement prior to the purchase; and

**WHEREAS**, the emergency purchase is estimated to be \$600,000 and is included in the overall budgeted fuel cost in the approved FY21 budget; and

**WHEREAS**, this procurement will bridge the gap until the new contract with James River Solutions takes effect on October 1, 2020.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLV**ED that the Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission does ratify the action taken by the Executive Director to conduct an emergency procurement with Mansfield Oil Company for the provision of ultra-low sulfur diesel fuel.

<u>Votes</u>: Ayes: Nays: Abstentions: Absent from Vote: Alternate(s) Present Not Voting: Absent from Meeting:



## August 27, 2020

TO:	Chair Franklin and PRTC Commissioners

FROM: Perrin Palistrant Director of Operations and Operations Planning

THROUGH: Robert A. Schneider, PhD Executive Director

SUBJECT: Ratify Action of the Executive Director to Conduct an Emergency Procurement with Mansfield Oil Company for Ultra-Low Sulfur Diesel Fuel

#### Recommendation:

Ratify action of the Executive Director to conduct an emergency procurement with Mansfield Oil Company for Ultra-Low Sulfur Diesel Fuel.

#### Background:

The Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission ("PRTC" or "Commission") is part of a cooperative contract for the Mid-Atlantic Purchasing Group through the Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments (MWCOG). The Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority (WMATA) is the lead agency and handles all procurements for the provision of diesel fuel for Washington, DC regional transit providers that are interested in being part of this pact.

The current contract for diesel fuel between the Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission and Mansfield Oil Company, #17-07, expired on April 27, 2020. PRTC was in the middle of negotiating an extension of the fuel contract with Mansfield Oil Company when an award was made by WMATA to James River Solutions.

Due to a delay in adding PRTC to the WMATA contract, an agreement with James River Solutions was not possible in time to have the Commission approve this contract at its July Commission meeting. Therefore, an emergency procurement, utilizing the approved PRTC emergency purchases policy originally approved on October 7, 2004, to purchase fuel was arranged with Mansfield Oil Company on July 28, 2020. The emergency purchases policy provides allowances for the Executive Director to expedite contracting as necessary in emergency situations. Chair Franklin and PRTC Commissioners August 27, 2020 Page 2

This procurement bridged the gap until the new contract with James River Solutions takes effect on October 1, 2020.

Fiscal impact:

The funding for this emergency procurement, approximately \$600,000, is included in the overall budgeted fuel costs in the approved FY21 budget shown below.

Federal: State: Local:	\$0 \$740,900 (Grant) \$2,400,000	
	Fredericksburg:	\$0
	Manassas:	\$16,700
	Manassas Park:	\$8,600
	Prince William:	\$2,374,700
	Spotsylvania:	\$0
	Stafford:	\$0
Total:	\$3,140,900	

**MOTION:** 

ITEM 11.2 September 3, 2020 PRTC Regular Meeting Res. No. 20-09-\_\_\_\_

SECOND:

RE: AUTHORIZATION FOR THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR TO EXECUTE A CONTRACT WITH JAMES RIVER SOLUTIONS TO PURCHASE ULTRA-LOW SULFUR DIESEL FUEL

#### ACTION:

**WHEREAS**, the Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission ("PRTC" or "Commission") is part of a cooperative contract for the Mid-Atlantic Purchasing Group through the Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments (MWCOG); and

**WHEREAS**, the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority (WMATA) is the lead agency and handles all procurements for the provision of diesel fuel for Washington, DC regional transit providers that are interested in being part of this pact; and

**WHEREAS**, the current contract for diesel fuel between PRTC and Mansfield Oil Company, #17-07, expired on April 27, 2020, but was extended by WMATA to July 27, 2020 to complete the procurement of a new contract; and

**WHEREAS**, a Notice to Proceed by WMATA for Contract C20129 was provided to James River Solutions for ultra-low sulfur diesel fuel, which allows the regional agencies to begin negotiations for the contract terms based off the negotiated flat rate per gallon consumed, and also include futures for subsequent purchases and to allow for proper budgeting; and

**WHEREAS**, the contract period of performance is from July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2021, with up to four (4) one (1)-year options.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission does authorize the Executive Director to execute a contract with James River Solutions, in a form approved by legal counsel, to purchase ultra-low sulfur diesel fuel.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission also authorizes the Executive Director to exercise the contract options without the need for further Commission action if this is deemed to be in PRTC's best interest.

<u>Votes</u>: Ayes: Nays: Abstentions: Absent from Vote: Alternate(s) Present Not Voting: Absent from Meeting:



## August 27, 2020

TO:	Chair Franklin and PRTC Commissioners

FROM: Perrin Palistrant Director of Operations and Operations Planning

THROUGH: Robert A. Schneider, PhD Executive Director

SUBJECT: Authorize the Executive Director to Execute a Contract with James River Solutions to Purchase Ultra-Low Sulfur Diesel Fuel

#### Recommendation:

Authorize the Executive Director to execute a contract with James River Solutions to purchase ultra-low sulfur diesel fuel.

#### Background:

The Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission (PRTC) is part of a cooperative contract for the Mid-Atlantic Purchasing Group through the Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments (MWCOG). The Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority (WMATA) is the lead agency and handles all procurements for the provision of diesel fuel for Washington, DC regional transit providers that are interested in being part of this pact. Once the agreement is reached, each prospective agency then negotiates with the fuel provider based on the usage anticipated.

The current contract for diesel fuel between PRTC and Mansfield Oil Company, #17-07, expired on April 27, 2020, but was extended to July 27, 2020 by WMATA in order to complete a new procurement. Due to a delay in adding PRTC to the WMATA contract, an emergency procurement for fuel was arranged with Mansfield Oil Company on July 27, 2020 to bridge the gap until the new contract with James River Solutions can be finalized.

The contract period of performance is from July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2021, with up to four (4) one (1)-year options. A Notice to Proceed by WMATA for Contract C20129 was provided to James River Solutions for ultra-low sulfur diesel fuel, which allows the regional agencies to begin negotiations for the contract terms based off the negotiated flat rate per gallon consumed, and also include futures for subsequent purchases and to allow for proper

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budgeting. PRTC is currently in negotiations with James River Solutions regarding the draft contract and is consulting with legal counsel as necessary.

Fiscal Impact:

The cost of fuel is included in the approved FY21 budget.

Federal:	\$0	
State:	\$740,900 (Grant)	
Local:	\$2,400,000	
	Fredericksburg:	\$0
	Manassas:	\$16,700
	Manassas Park:	\$8 <i>,</i> 600
	Prince William:	\$2,374,700
	Spotsylvania:	\$0
	Stafford:	\$0
Total:	\$3,140,900	

**MOTION:** 

ITEM 11.3 September 3, 2020 PRTC Regular Meeting Res. No. 20-09-\_\_\_\_

SECOND:

# RE: AUTHORIZE THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR TO EXTEND THE PILOT PERIOD FOR THE PARATRANSIT SERVICE IN THE WESTERN SERVICE AREA

#### ACTION:

**WHEREAS**, at its June 6, 2019 meeting the Commission authorized a nine (9)-month pilot period for the paratransit service as part of the Western Local Service restructuring; and

**WHEREAS**, the nine (9)-month pilot period for paratransit service was intended to allow for the evaluation of the impacts on the efficiency and reliability of the local fixed-route bus service; and

**WHEREAS**, the paratransit service was implemented in December 2019 as part of the Western Local Service restructuring; and

**WHEREAS**, on March 12, 2020 the Governor of Virginia declared a State of Emergency in response to the spread of coronavirus which, along with subsequent executive orders, restricted social gatherings, commercial activity, and travel in general; and

**WHEREAS**, the impacts of the coronavirus response on travel have continued and are expected to continue for an indefinite period; and

**WHEREAS**, the impacts of the coronavirus response on travel have been such that effective evaluation and performance analysis of the paratransit service has not been possible; and

**WHEREAS**, management seeks to extend the pilot so that fair evaluation and comparisons to previous service performance can occur.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission does hereby authorize the Executive Director to extend the nine (9)-month paratransit pilot for a period 120 days after western local ridership returns to 75% of the daily average ridership for November 2019.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Executive Director will present the evaluation results and a recommendation for the paratransit service in the western service area to the Commission after the 120 day pilot extension.

<u>Votes</u> :	
Ayes:	
Nays:	
Abstentions:	
Absent from V	ote:
Alternate(s) Pr	esent Not Voting:
Absent from N	leeting:



### August 27, 2020

TO: Chair Franklin and PRTC Commissioners

- FROM: Joe Stainsby Attur Chief Development Officer
- THROUGH: Robert A. Schneider, PhD Executive Director
- SUBJECT: Authorize the Executive Director to Extend the Pilot Period for the Paratransit Service in the Western Service Area

#### Recommendation:

Authorize the Executive Director to extend the pilot period for the paratransit service in the western service area.

#### Background:

At its June 6, 2019 meeting the Commission authorized the Executive Director to implement the western local bus restructuring plan and to begin a nine (9)-month trial parartransit service pilot. The purpose of the operational pilot was to evaluate the impacts of the paratransit service on the reliability and efficiency of the local fixed route service. The paratransit service pilot, along with the western local service restructuring, was implemented December 9, 2019 and the nine (9)-month pilot period was anticipated to end in September 2020.

In March 2020 the Governor of Virginia declared a State Emergency to help control the spread of the coronavirus which, along with subsequent executive actions, restricted social gatherings, commercial activity and travel in general. These measures quickly began to impact travel and traffic patterns. The disruptions to normal activity have continued to date and have been significant enough that management has determined that a fair evaluation of the paratransit service at this time is not possible.

Because a return to pre-COVID-19 levels of activity remains largely an unknown, management proposes that instead of setting a date for the end of the pilot period a triggering condition and length of time be set for the completion of the service evaluation. Management believes that a reasonable trigger for evaluation to begin again would be average daily ridership on western local routes reaching 75% of the pre-COVID-19 level. Management also proposes that once this

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level of ridership is reached a further evaluation period of 120 days take place. Management believes that this strikes a balance between the need for sufficient relative data for evaluation and a speedy completion of the pilot period. Management would advise the Commission once the evaluation period begins again and would come back to the Board with the results of the pilot evaluation and management's recommendation for the paratransit service in the western service area.

<u>Fiscal Impact</u>: NA

ITEM 11.4 September 3, 2020 PRTC Regular Meeting Res. No. 20-09-\_\_\_

#### **MOTION:**

SECOND:

#### RE: AUTHORIZE THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR TO AWARD A TASK ORDER CONTRACT TO SIDDALL COMMUNICATIONS, LLC FOR VANPOOL ALLIANCE PROGRAM MARKETING SERVICES

#### ACTION:

**WHEREAS**, the OmniRide Transportation Demand Management (TDM) programs and Vanpool Alliance Program would benefit from a concentrated, long-term marketing and promotional effort; and

WHEREAS, the Vanpool Alliance Program is able to provide funding through its program earnings; and

**WHEREAS**, funding for such efforts are included in the Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission's FY21 budget; and

**WHEREAS**, management has identified one of the Virginia Department of Rail and Public Transportation's on-call consultants, Siddall Communications, LLC, as being qualified to perform the necessary tasks; and

WHEREAS, management has received both a proposed Scope of Work and a cost quote from the consultant; and

WHEREAS, management considers both Scope of Work and cost quote acceptable.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission does hereby authorize the Executive Director to enter into a task order contract with Siddall Communications, LLC for marketing services for Vanpool Alliance and the OmniRide Transportation Demand Management programs.

<u>Votes</u>: Ayes: Nays: Abstentions: Absent from Vote: Alternate(s) Present Not Voting: Absent from Meeting:



## August 27, 2020

TO: Chair Franklin and PRTC Commissioners

- FROM: Joe Stainsby Multure Chief Development Officer
- THROUGH: Robert A. Schneider, PhD Executive Director
- SUBJECT: Authorize the Executive Director to Award a Task Order Contract to Siddall Communications, LLC for Vanpool Alliance Program Marketing Services

#### Recommendation:

Authorize the Executive Director to award a task order contract to Siddall Communications, LLC for Vanpool Alliance Program marketing services.

#### Background:

As management devised work plans for the Vanpool Alliance program for fiscal year 2021, we relied on the recommendations within the Strategic Plan. Based on those recommendations to expand efforts to promote and register vanpools, increase ease of access to commuter information, and invest in additional resources to responsible and safe vanpooling, management defined a number of focused goals and determined that consultant assistance would be beneficial. Management also determined a concentrated, long-term marketing and promotional effort would benefit both the OmniRide Transportation Demand Management (TDM) programs and the Vanpool Alliance Program.

Management has identified one of the Virginia Department of Rail and Public Transportation's on-call consultants, Siddall Communications, LLC, as being qualified to perform the necessary tasks.

Goals for the promotional efforts are:

- Increase awareness and understanding of the Vanpool Alliance Program
- Recruit riders to existing vanpools and promote the creation of new vanpools
- Promote vanpool safety best practices including COVID-19 specific measures
- Facilitate easier monthly reporting for program participants

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To achieve these goals Siddall Communications, LLC has proposed the following tasks:

- Update the Vanpool Alliance program website
- Paid advertising for all programs including on-line banner ads
- Testimonial videos showing the benefits of vanpooling and the Vanpool Alliance program
- Video ads for on-line promotion
- Video user guide to allow easier monthly reporting for end users
- Updating and creating new collateral materials for all programs (e.g., brochures, etc.)

Design, development, and implementation of the promotional efforts will take place over fiscal year 2021. Some material, such as the video ads, reporting tutorials, and testimonials are expected

#### Fiscal Impact:

The total cost of the effort is estimated at \$200,000. Funding for the promotional efforts will be provide through the Vanpool Alliance program earnings and is included in the FY2021 budget.

Federal:	\$0	
State:	\$0	
Local:	\$0	
Vanpool Alliance:	\$200,000	
	Fredericksburg:	\$0
	Manassas:	\$0
	Manassas Park:	\$0
	Prince William:	\$0
	Spotsylvania:	\$0
	Stafford:	\$0
Total:	\$200,000	



## Vanpool Alliance FY21 Proposal

July 2020-June 2021

\$200,000 total budget

## Scope of Work and Costs

#### Task 1 – Paid Advertising

• 6 months of online advertising: Facebook, Google search, banner ads, YouTube

Agency Fee		Rate	Hours	Total
Media Planner/Buyer	Amy Dunkley	\$84.73	10	\$847.30
Controller	Bettina Roda	\$142.56	4	\$570.24
Project Manager	Amy Dunkley	\$86.40	4	\$345.60
		Agency Fee Total:		\$1,763.14

Paid Media: \$58,108

#### Grand Total Task 1: \$59,871.14

Task 2 – Update advertising creative

- Revise creative using same concepts but with new copy adjusted for the current COVID-19 climate
  - Facebook, search and banner ads
  - One shorter video (new voiceover, but no changes to existing animation or sound design)

Agency Fee		Rate	Hours	Total
Account Supervisor	John Siddall	\$149.53	6	\$897.18
Art Director	Shari Hindman	\$199.39	60	\$11,963.40
Production Director	Roberta McDonn	\$150.93	30	\$4,527.90
Controller	Bettina Roda	\$142.56	4	\$570.24
Writer	Steve Covert	\$162.00	35	\$5,670.00
Project Manager	Amy Dunkley	\$86.40	40	\$3,456.00
Traffic Director	Mary Ando	\$86.40	10	\$864.00
Research and Strategic Plar	Emily Sengenberg	\$162.00	8	\$1,296.00
		Agency F	ee Total:	\$29,244.72

## Grand Total Task 2: \$39,244.72

### Task 3 – Video Production

- Concept and produce two videos
  - o Tutorial video for when reporting changes, approx. 5-6 minutes long
  - Testimonial video with program participants client to recommend people to feature, approx. 2 minutes long

Agency Fee		Rate	Hours	Total
Account Supervisor	John Siddall	\$149.53	4	\$598.12
Creative Director/Art Director	Shari Hindman	\$199.39	160	\$31,902.40
Production Director	Roberta McDonnell	\$150.93	50	\$7,546.50
Controller	Bettina Roda	\$142.56	2	\$285.12
Writer	Maryann Neary-Gill	\$162.00	70	\$11,340.00
Project Manager	Amy Dunkley	\$86.40	35	\$3,024.00
Traffic Director	Mary Ando	\$86.40	10	\$864.00
Research and Strategic Planner	Andrew Aquino	\$162.00	2	\$324.00
Research and Strategic Planner	Andrew Aquino	\$162.00	2	\$324.0

Agency Fee Total: \$55,884.14

Out of Pocket Production - two videos: \$45,000.00

#### GRAND TOTAL TASK 3: \$100,884.14

#### **GRAND TOTAL FY21: \$200,000**

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PRTC Chair's Time

ITEM 13

**Other Business/Commissioners' Time** 

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ITEM 14

Adjournment

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Upcoming Meetings: PRTC 2020 Meeting Schedule

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## **COMMISSION MEETING SCHEDULE**

PRTC Commission Meetings are held on the first Thursday of the month at 7:00pm in the second floor conference room of the OmniRide Transit Center, unless otherwise noted.

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Executive Committee and Operations Committee meet on an "as needed" basis at 6:00pm prior to the regularly scheduled PRTC Board Meeting-advance notice is provided.

All VRE Operations Board meetings are scheduled for the third Friday of each month at 9:00am at the OmniRide Transit Center (except for the August recess).

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## Information Items

- June and July System Performance Report
- Revised Spending Authority Report
- Monthly Safety Dashboard
- Commissioners' Motor Fuels Tax Report



## August 27, 2020

TO:	Chair Franklin and PRTC Commissioners				
FROM:	Perrin Palistrant P Director of Operations and Operations Planning				
THROUGH:	Robert A. Schneider, PhD Executive Director				

# SUBJECT: June and July 2020 System Performance and Ridership Report

#### OMNIRIDE Express and Metro Express Service

- June average daily ridership increased 64 percent from May, but was down 91 percent compared to June 2019
- Ridership continues to increase with more service operating, but still significantly lower than
   pre-COVID-19
- Overall annual ridership decreased 24 percent compared to FY19
- July average daily ridership increased 67.6 percent from June
- Continued upward trend in commuters utilizing services
- Collaborating with region on back to work operations and constant messaging to reinforce cleaning and safe operations of our vehicles to bring passengers back

#### OMNIRIDE Local Bus Service

- June average daily ridership increased 23 percent from May, but was down 57 percent compared to June 2019
- Ridership continues to rebound as more businesses and services open and workers use the service to commute to and from work
- Overall annual ridership decreased 23 percent compared to FY19
- July average daily ridership increased 10 percent from June
- Ridership shows consistent increases across all routes on both sides of the County
- Saturday ridership has not declined as significantly as weekday, but is still down 41 percent compared to July 2019

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#### Vanpool Alliance Program

- Enrollment increased by three (3) to 648 vans in June and then stayed flat for July
- Ridership in June was 29,542 trips a 20 percent increase from the prior month, but still down almost 80 percent year-over-year due to COVID-19 and all of the telework that is happening as a result
- Ridership in July was 34,246 trips. This is up 18 percent from the prior month, but still down 70 percent from pre-COVID-19 levels.

#### <u>OmniMatch Program</u>

#### Staff participated in: all meetings were virtual

June:

- 06/02/2020 Prince William Chamber of Commerce Education/Innovation Committee Meeting
- 06/05/2020 Mentorship Class Virtual Touching Base Event
- 06/16/2020 Commuter Connections Ridesharing and Marketing Committee Meetings (virtual)
- 06/17/2020 Virtual meeting with Manassas Airport and Transform I-66 team to discuss Virtual Commuter Event for the mid to late July timeframe for the tenants on the Airport property (e.g., Leidos, Aurora Flight, etc.)
- 06/22/2020 Commuter Connections Employer Outreach Training
- 06/23/2020 Commuter Connections Virtual Employer Outreach Awards
- 06/23/2020 Leadership Prince William Virtual Training "Emergenetics: It's Not Just for You"
- 06/29/2020 Prince William Chamber of Commerce Virtual Education and Innovation Summit OmniRide Employer Outreach Program was one of the event sponsors – two (2) minute OmniRide video played during the event – Bob Schneider (presenter)

#### July

- 07/07/2020 Prince William Chamber of Commerce Education and Innovation Committee Meeting OmniRide Employer Outreach Program is the Annual Meeting Sponsor for FY21
- 07/08/2020 Commuter Connections Car Free Day Steering Committee Meeting
- 07/14/2020 Prince William Chamber of Commerce Policy Committee Meeting OmniRide Employer Outreach Program is the Annual Meeting Sponsor for FY21
- 07/15/2020 WMATA Platform Shutdown TDM Work Group Meeting
- 07/15/2020 Vanpool Forum educational event for existing vanpool owner/operators
- 07/16/2020 I-495 American Legion Bridge Transit/Transportation Demand Management Study Stakeholder Group Meeting
- 07/21/2020 Prince William Chamber of Commerce Economic Development Committee Meeting OmniRide Employer Outreach Program is the Annual Meeting Sponsor for FY21
- 07/21/2020 Commuter Connections Employer Outreach Committee and Sub Committee Meetings
- 07/22/2020 Recorded presentation for the Association for Commuter Transportation (ACT) Virtual International Conference (August 3-5). Presentation title: Technology in TDM: Vanpool Tools on a Shoestring Budget
- 07/24/2020 Transform 66/Local Agencies Coordination Meeting

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• 07/28/2020 - DRPT Rideshare Grant Quarter four (4)Review

#### Customer Service Statistics

- The call center received 3,864 calls in June 2020 and 3,562 in July 2020
- Responded to 25 general information emails in June 2020 and 32 in July 2020
- OmniRide local trip denials in June were .35 percent and .37 percent in July 2020

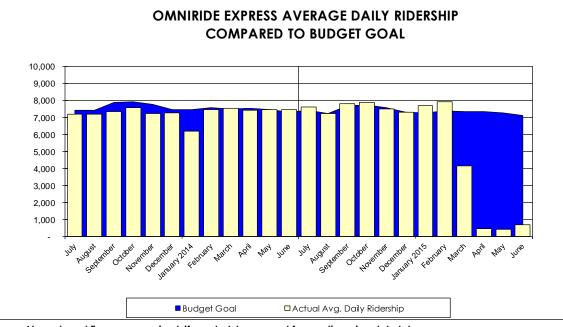
#### Passenger Complaints

Complaint rate for OmniRide in June and July:

- OmniRide Express and Metro Express complaint rate for June 2020 increased five (5) percent compared to June 2019 and July 2020 increased 10 percent compared to July 2019
- OmniRide Local service complaint rate for June 2020 increased 183 percent compared to June 2020; July 2020 increased 212 percent compared to July 2019

	Monthly Ridership		Avera	ge Daily Ri	dership	FY20	Change from
Month	FY19	FY20	FY19	FY20	% Change	Budget Goal	Goal
July	147,825	163,138	7,211	7,627	5.8%	7,451	176
August	163,900	140,151	7,194	7,256	0.9%	7,250	6
September	141,696	148,295	7,380	7,808	5.8%	7,722	86
October	166,311	176,101	7,579	7,886	4.1%	7,739	147
November	134,470	136,522	7,229	7,501	3.8%	7,589	(88)
December	115,711	128,940	7,276	7,315	0.5%	7,306	9
January	122,004	156,174	6,200	7,719	24.5%	7,300	419
February	133,331	150,778	7,484	7,938	6.1%	7,412	526
March	157,449	91,923	7,569	4,160	-45.0%	7,356	(3,196)
April	159,794	11,012	7,454	490	-93.4%	7,367	(6,877)
Мау	162,241	9,203	7,482	435	-94.2%	7,277	(6,842)
June	150,927	16,068	7,488	712	-90.5%	7,141	(6,429)
Year to Date	1,755,659	1,328,305	7,296	5,571	-23.6%	7,409	(1,838)

## **OMNIRIDE EXPRESS SERVICE**



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7/18- Avg. Daily Ridership excludes week of Fourth of July holiday (2-6)

<u>8/18</u>- Avg. Daily Ridership excludes Friday before Labor Day (31)

10/18- Avg. Daily Ridership excludes Friday before Columbus Day (5) and Columbus Day (8)

11/18- Avg. Daily Ridership excludes Veterans Day (11), Snow impacts (15), Thanksigiving (21-23), ESP Tree Lighting (28)

12/18- Avg. Daily Ridership excludes State Funeral for George H.W. Bush (5), Weather closures (10), Christmas/New Year's Holiday (21-31)

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2/19- Avg. Daily Ridership excludes Weather related school closures/delays (11, 20,21) and President's Day Holiday (18)

<u>3/19</u>- Avg. Daily Ridership excludes Weather related school closures/delays (1)

4/19- Avg. Daily Ridership excludes interstate closure ESP (4), PWC Spring Break (15-19)

5/19- Avg. Daily Ridership excludes Friday before Memorial Day (24)

7/19-Avg. Daily Ridership excludes 7/3, 4, 5 (Independence Day Holiday)

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<u>9/19</u>-Avg. Daily Ridership excludes 9/20 (car free day), 9/23 (ESP due to demonstrations in DC)

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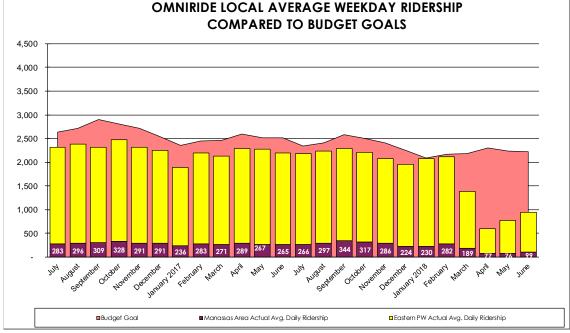
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2/20-Avg. Daily Ridership excludes 17 (President's Day)

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	Monthly Ridership		Averag	je Daily Rider	FY20	Change from				
Month	FY19	FY20	FY19	FY20	% Change	<b>Budget</b> Goal	Goal			
July	48,194	47,848	2,309	2,182	-5.5%	2,338	(156)			
August	54,757	45,499	2,380	2,238	-6.0%	2,405	(167)			
September	44,045	44,528	2,319	2,285	-1.5%	2,576	(291)			
October	56,087	50,270	2,470	2,205	-10.7%	2,496	(291)			
November	45,587	39,798	2,314	2,074	-10.4%	2,406	(332)			
December	40,452	38,853	2,246	1,957	-12.9%	2,251	(294)			
January	37,679	43,893	1 <i>,</i> 893	2,073	9.5%	2,094	(21)			
February	40,524	41,722	2,189	2,115	-3.4%	2,173	(58)			
March	44,239	30,518	2,126	1,387	-34.8%	2,181	(794)			
April	49,867	13,186	2,292	599	-73.9%	2,302	(1,703)			
Мау	49,999	15,322	2,272	766	-66.3%	2,233	(1,467)			
June	43,968	20,773	2,199	944	-57.1%	2,228	(1,284)			
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Year to Date	555,398	432,210	2,251	1,735	-22.9%	2,307	(572)			

## OMNIRIDE LOCAL SERVICE



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11/18- Avg. Daily Ridership excludes Veterans Day (11), Snow (15), Thanksgiving (21-23)

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2/19- Avg. Daily Ridership excludes weather related closures/delays (11, 20, 21), President's Day Holiday (18)

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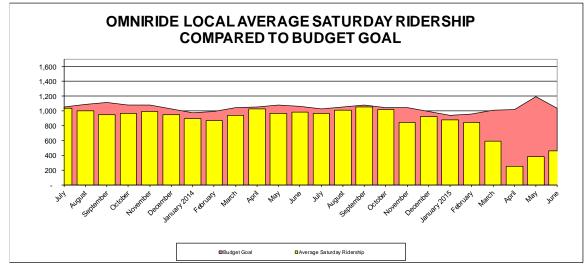
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2/20 Avg. Daily Ridership excludes 17 (President's Day)

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	Monthly Rie	dership	Average	e Saturday	Ridership	Average Saturday FY20	Change from
Month	FY19	FY20	FY19	FY20	% Change	Budget Goal	Goal
July	3,788	3,864	1,040	966	-7.1%	1,025	(59)
August	4,001	5,032	1,000	1,006	0.6%	1,055	(49)
September	5,864	4,219	951	1,055	10.9%	1,078	(23)
October	3,857	4,063	964	1,016	5.4%	1,045	(29)
November	3,662	4,224	990	845	-14.6%	1,041	(196)
December	4,475	3,673	947	918	-3.1%	996	(78)
January	3,244	3,228	895	875	-2.2%	944	(69)
February	3,480	4,213	870	843	-3.1%	958	(115)
March	4,720	2,363	944	591	-37.4%	1,007	(416)
April	4,121	998	1,030	250	-75.7%	1,021	(771)
Мау	3,867	1,919	967	384	-60.3%	1,191	(807)
June	4,920	1,905	984	463	-52.9%	1,032	(569)
Year to Date	49,999	39,701	965	768	-20.5%	1,033	(265)

#### **OMNIRIDE LOCAL SERVICE**



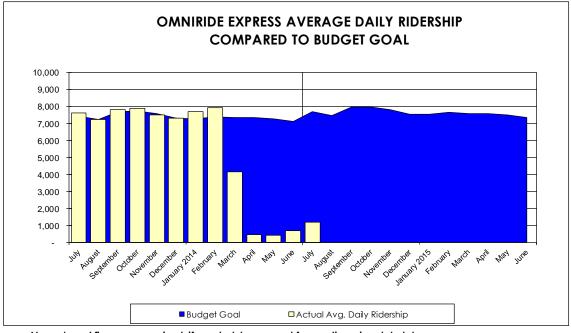
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#### **OMNIRIDE EXPRESS SERVICE**

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Month	FY20	FY21	FY20	FY21	% Change	Budget Goal	Goal
July	163,138	26,566	7,627	1,194	-84.3%	7,693	(6,499)
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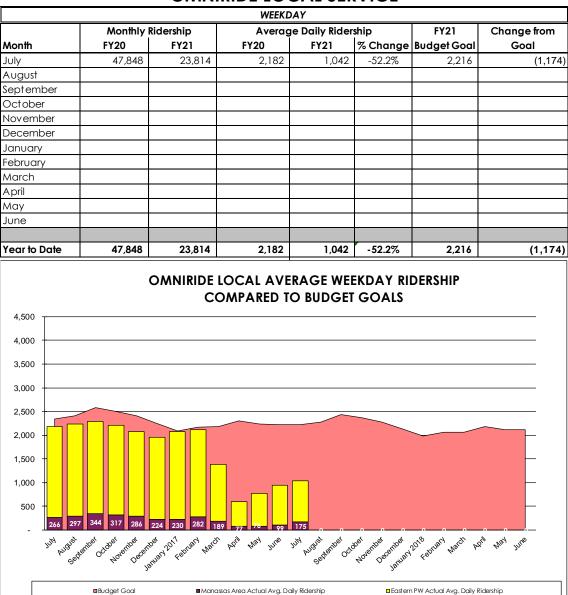
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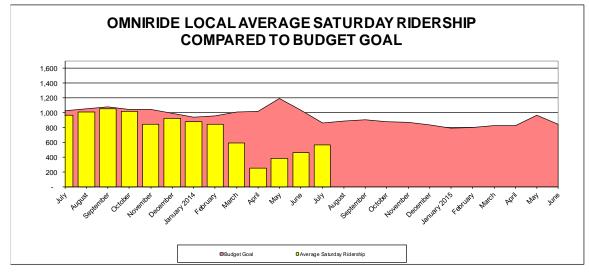
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	Monthly Ri	dership	Averag	e Saturday	Ridership	Average Saturday FY21	Change from
Month	FY20	FY21	FY20	FY21	% Change	Budget Goal	Goal
July	3,864	1,706	966	569	-41.1%	1,025	(456)
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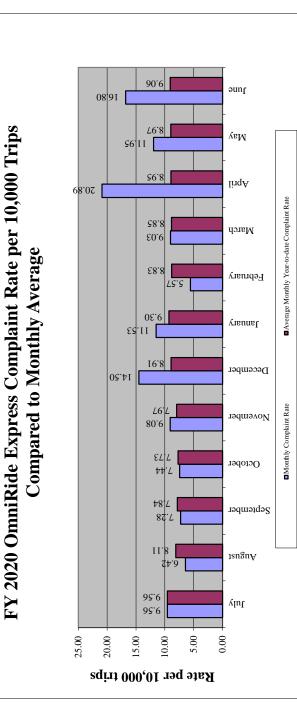
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	New	New	Other	Other			Monthly	Monthly
	Applications	Applications	Applications	Applications	Vanpools	Vanpools	Passenger	Passenger
	Received	Received	Received	Received	Enrolled	Enrolled	Trips	Trips
July	53	52	6	10	699	674	125,864	139,650
August	42	14	27	9	699	674	136,402	132,224
September	35	99	11	13	670	674	118,472	131,999
October	44	52	11	2	670	674	130,798	143,962
November	56	41	8	с	671	674	116,453	121,098
December	37	25	8	9	672	674	101,939	118,579
January	48	27	4	5	672	674	117,672	137,015
February	26	34	11	L	673	674	111,944	122,007
March	33	35	6	9	673	674	121,914	87,523
April	51	8	8	0	673	645	131,777	25,435
May	52	3	12	L	674	645	140,365	24,711
June	32	9	4	0	674	648	124,556	29,542
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June	150,927	179	11.86	June
Year-to-date totals	1,755,659	1,636	9.32	Year-to

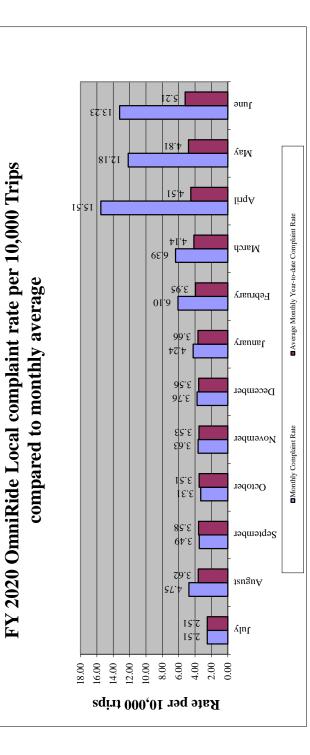
FY 2020 Yeal	FY 2020 Year-to-date OmniRide Express Complaints	de Express Con	nplaints
	Ridership	Complaints	Per 10k Trips
July	163,138	156	9.56
August	140,151	06	6.42
September	148,295	108	7.28
October	176,101	131	7.44
November	136,522	124	9.08
December	128,940	187	14.50
January	156,174	180	11.53
February	150,778	84	5.57
March	91,923	83	9.03
April	11,012	23	20.89
May	9,203	11	11.95
June	16,068	27	16.80
Year-to-date totals	1,328,305	1,204	9.06



Complaint rates for OmniRide Express service for the current month and for the year-to-date in contrast to fiscal year 2019 overall rate, which is the benchmark for evaluating contractor performance for fiscal year 2020 in the bus services contract.

FY 2019 Ye	FY 2019 Year-to-date OmniRide Local Complaints	<b>Ride Local Com</b>	plaints	H
	Ridership	Complaints	Per 10k Trips	
July	51,982	28	5.39	July
August	58,758	20	3.40	August
September	49,909	12	2.40	September
October	59,944	23	3.84	October
November	49,249	7	1.42	November
December	44,927	11	2.45	December
January	40,923	12	2.93	January
February	44,004	11	2.50	February
March	48,959	17	3.47	March
April	53,988	22	4.07	April
May	53,866	21	3.90	May
June	48,888	16	3.27	June
Year-to-date totals	605,397	200	3.30	Year-to-da

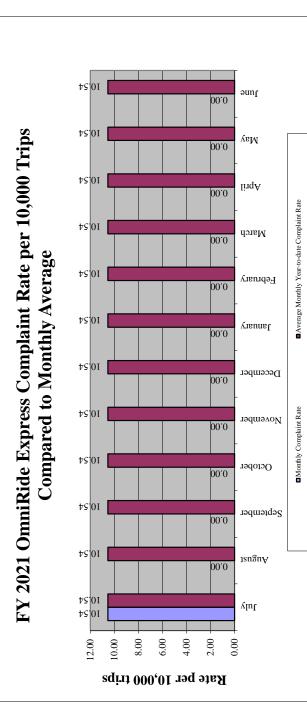
FY 2020 Ye	FY 2020 Year-to-date OmniRideLocal Complaints	<b>RideLocal Com</b>	plaints
	Ridership	Complaints	Per 10k Trips
luly	51,712	13	2.51
August	50,531	24	4.75
September	48'747	17	3.49
October	54,333	18	3.31
Vovember	44,022	16	3.63
Jecember	42,526	16	3.76
anuary	47,121	20	4.24
February	45,935	28	6.10
March	32,881	21	6.39
April	14,184	22	15.51
May	17,241	21	12.18
lune	22,678	30	13.23
Year-to-date totals	471,911	246	5.21



Complaint rates for OmniRide Local service for the current month and for the year-to-date in contrast to fiscal year 2019 overall rate, which is the benchmark for evaluating contractor performance for fiscal year 2020 in the new bus services contract.

FY 2020 Yea	FY 2020 Year-to-date OmniRide Express Complaints	ide Express Com	nplaints	
	Ridership	Complaints	Per 10k Trips	
July	163,138	156	9.56	July
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Year-to-date totals	163,138	156	9.56	Yea

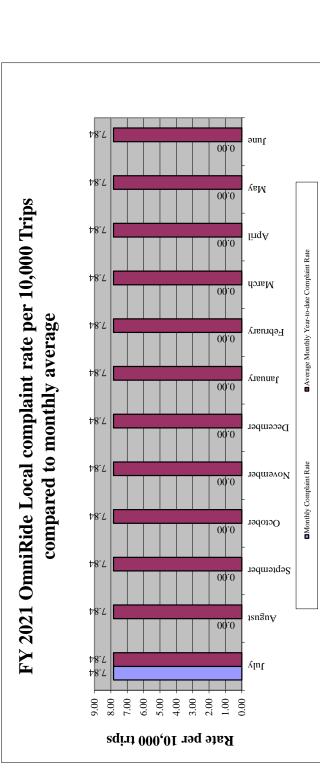
FY 2021 Yea	FY 2021 Year-to-date OmniRide Express Complaints	de Express Con	nplaints
	Ridership	Complaints	Per 10k Trips
July	26,566	28	10.54
August			
September			
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June			
Year-to-date totals	26,566	28	10.54



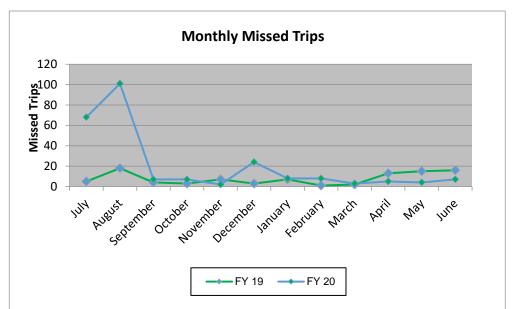
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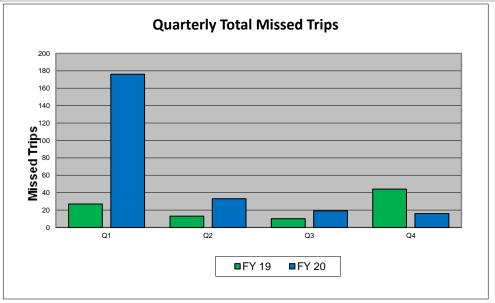
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	Ridership	Complaints	Per 10k Trips	
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Year-to-date totals	51,712	13	2.51	Τ

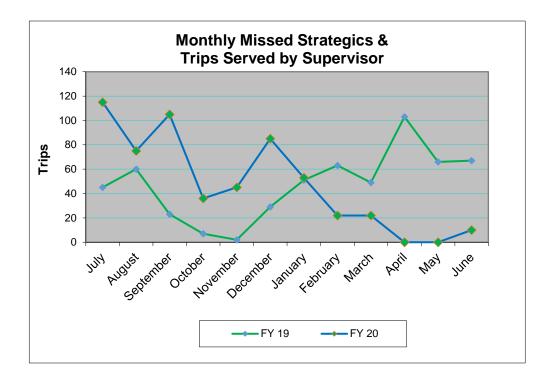
FY 2021 Ye	FY 2021 Year-to-date OmniRideLocal Complaints	RideLocal Com	plaints
	Ridership	Complaints	Per 10k Trips
July	25,520	20	7.84
August			
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November			
December			
January			
February			
March			
April			
May			
June			
Year-to-date totals	25,520	20	7.84

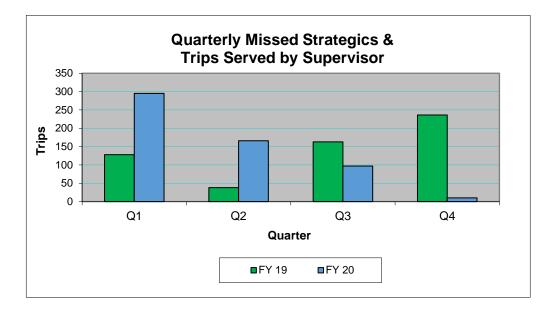


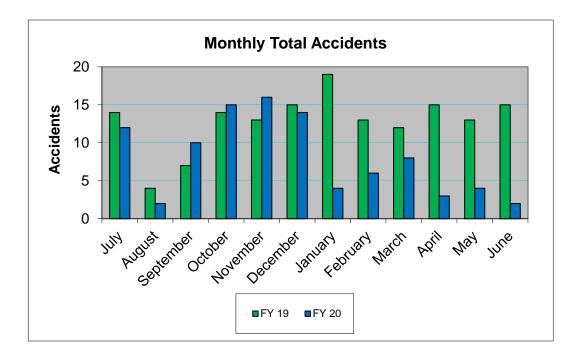
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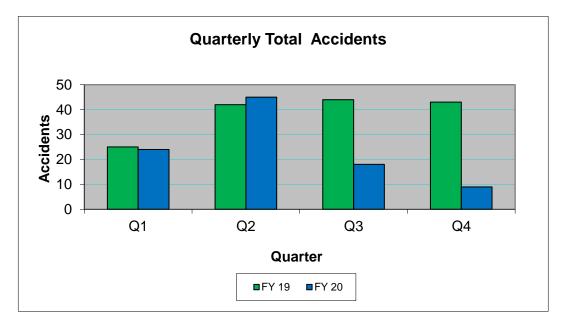


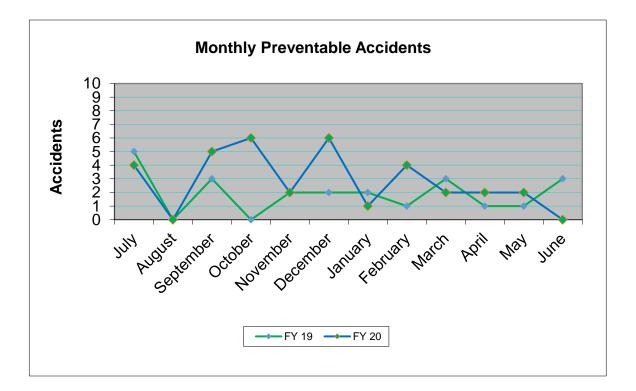


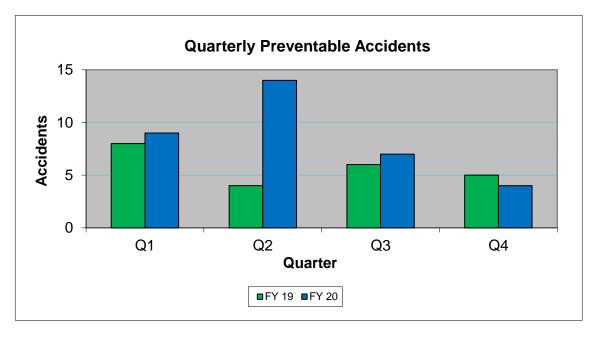


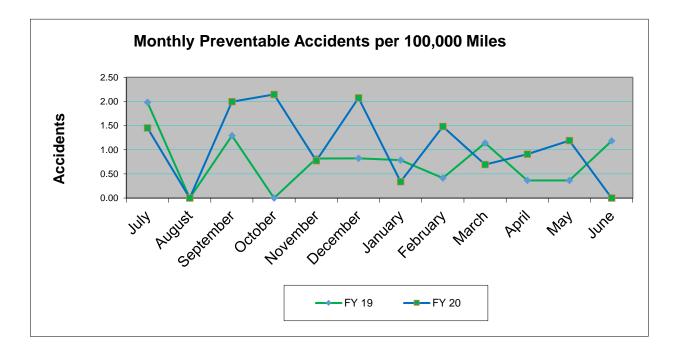


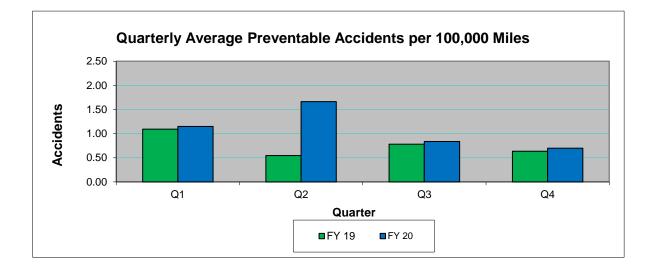


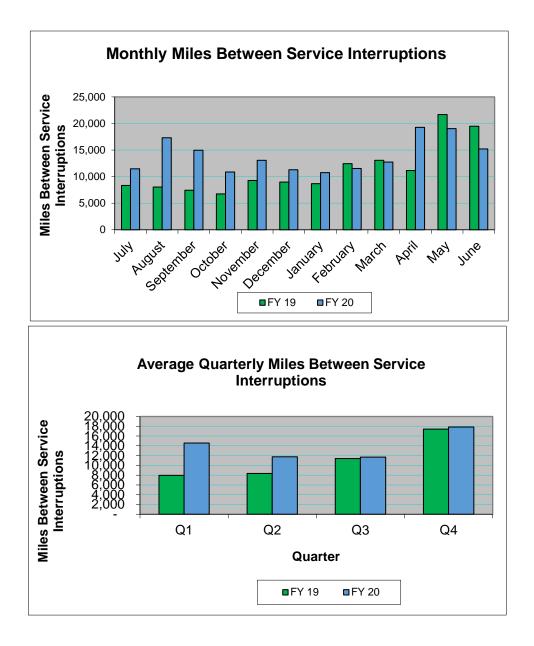


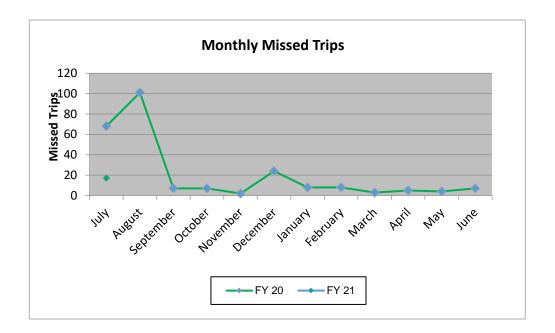


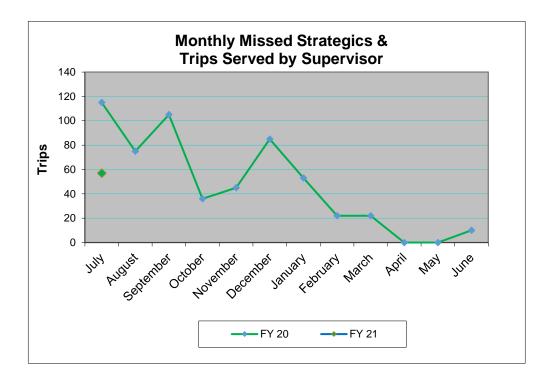


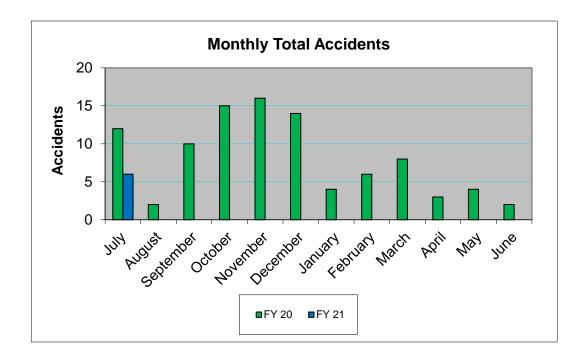


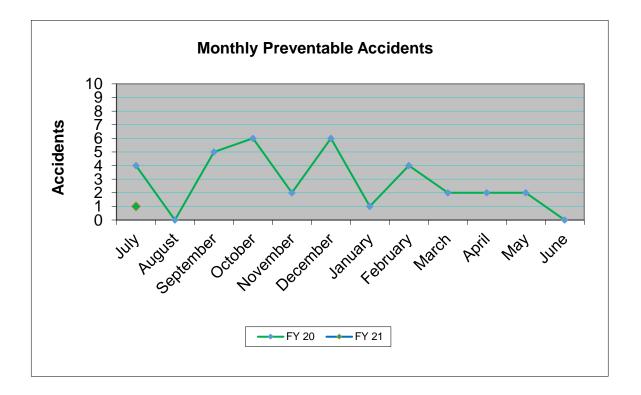


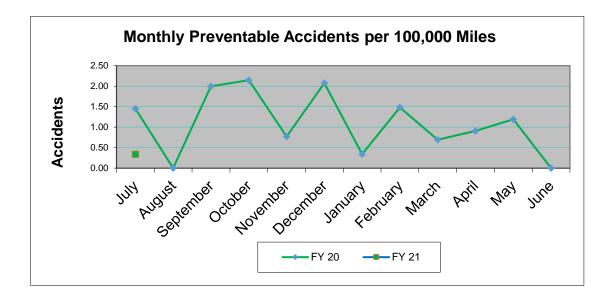


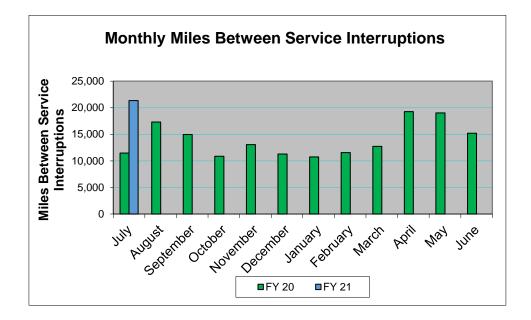














August 27, 2020

TO: Chair Franklin and PRTC Commissioners

FROM: Robert A. Schneider, PhD Executive Director

SUBJECT: Revised Purchasing Authority Report

On June 4, 2015, the Commission approved increasing the Executive Director's delegated purchasing authority from \$50,000 to \$100,000. It was resolved that any purchase of greater than \$50,000 would be communicated to the Board as an information item.

- On June 4, 2020 OmniRide issued a purchase order to American Amplifier and Television Corporation in the amount of \$54,019 for the audio-visual upgrade equipment in the large conference room.
- On June 18, 2020 OmniRide issued a purchase Order to 14 West, LLC of Waukesha, Wisconsin in the amount of \$65,100 to provide face masks for vanpool participants.
- On July 16, 2020 OmniRide issued a purchase order to GFI Genfare, of Oak Grove Village, Illinois in the amount of \$59,219 to provide the fare vault for the western facility. This was a sole source procurement and funded from the western facility construction funds.



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# ACCIDENT/INCIDENT RATE FREQUENCY

### \*Per 100K miles



## ACCIDENTS/INCIDENTS BY DAY & SERVICE TYPE

#### Accidents:

- Personal Injury
- Property Damage

#### Incidents:

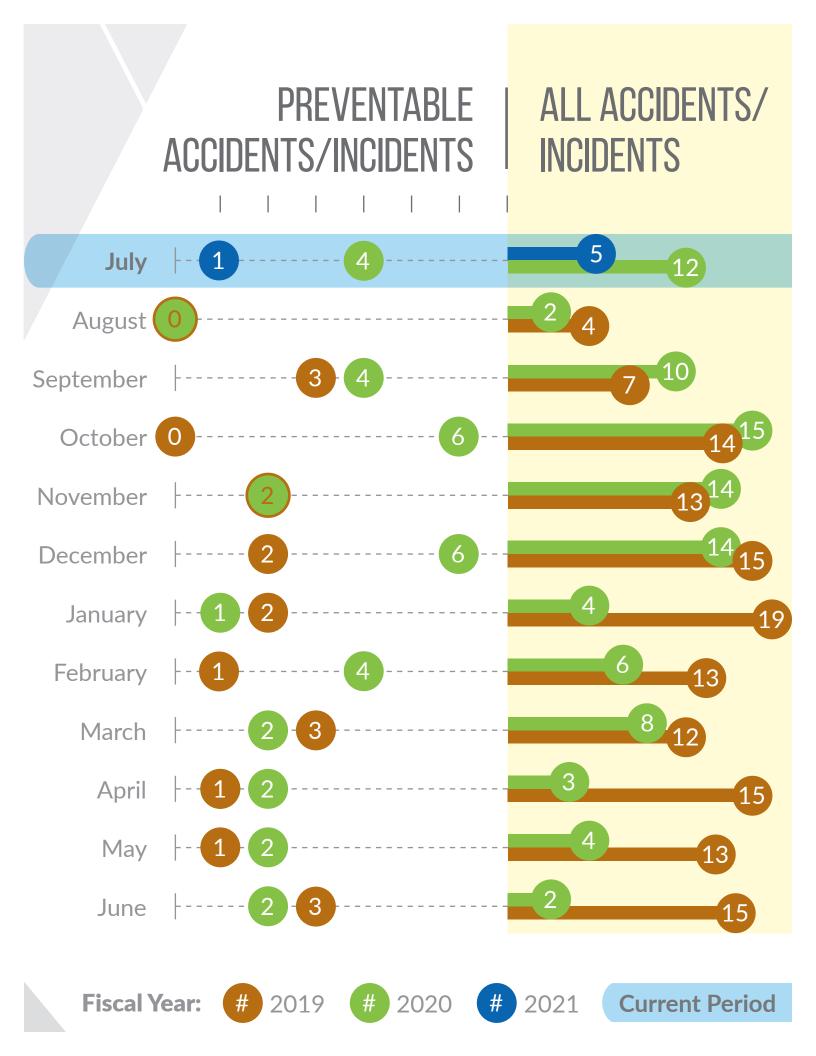
- Suspicious Package
- Disruptive Behavior
- Public Safety Occurrence

Local: 0% Express: 100%



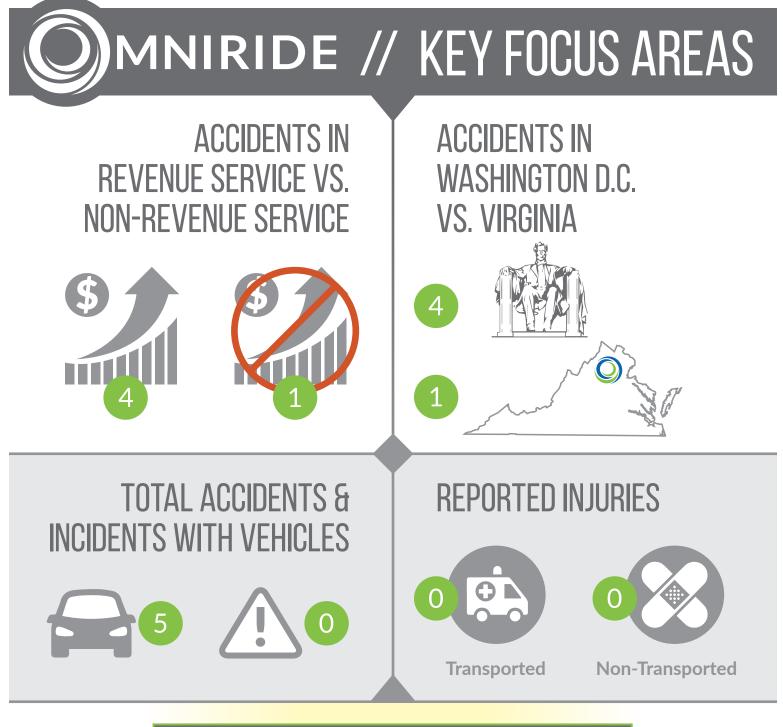


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SAFETY DASHBOARD

JULY 2020



### 90-DAY ACCIDENT/INCIDENT SPOTLIGHT





- \*Total accidents/incidents between months of May, June, July
- \*\*Difference in percentage versus the rolling quarter of April, May, June



PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY

FY19 Ending Fund Balance (as of 6/30/19) from Unreimbursed Encumbrance\* or Surplus/Deficit Collections (carryforward)

9,116,760.25

#### Income

meome				Year to Date	Year to Date	
FY20 Motor Fuels Tax Revenue (Beginning 7/1/19)	Monthly Actual	Monthly Budget	Variance	Actual	Budget	Variance
July 2019	1,476,731.09	1,103,991.67	372,739.42	1,476,731.09	1,103,991.67	372,739.42
August	1,911,679.18	1,103,991.67	807,687.51	3,388,410.27	2,207,983.34	1,180,426.93
September	1,050,112.83	1,103,991.67	(53,878.84)	4,438,523.10	3,311,975.01	1,126,548.09
October	1,337,833.15	1,103,991.67	233,841.48	5,776,356.25	4,415,966.68	1,360,389.57
November	1,204,794.19	1,103,991.67	100,802.52	6,981,150.44	5,519,958.35	1,461,192.09
December	1,236,017.80	1,103,991.67	132,026.13	8,217,168.24	6,623,950.02	1,593,218.22
January 2020	1,128,670.67	1,103,991.67	24,679.00	9,345,838.91	7,727,941.69	1,617,897.22
February	1,141,650.44	1,103,991.67	37,658.77	10,487,489.35	8,831,933.36	1,655,555.99
March	1,081,109.56	1,103,991.66	(22,882.10)	11,568,598.91	9,935,925.02	1,632,673.89
April	705,142.62	1,103,991.66	(398,849.04)	12,273,741.53	11,039,916.68	1,233,824.85
May	541,906.47	1,103,991.66	(562,085.19)	12,815,648.00	12,143,908.34	671,739.66
June		-	-	-	-	-
	12,815,648.00	12,143,908.34	671,739.66			
FY20 Year to Date Interest from Investment	133,111.97					
(actual interest earned from collections)						
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FY20 PRTC Operating Carryforward (refund)	2,984,000.00					
Expenses						
Less:						
Resolution 19-06-14 FY20 PRTC Subsidies	(16,868,300.00)					
Total Expenses	(16,868,300.00)					
	(10,000,000,000)					
FY20 Fund Balance (as of 5/31/20)		Г	8,181,220.22			
		L	0,200,200			
Outstanding Adopted Resolutions (Encumbrances)						
Resolution 08-06-07 VRE Local Capital Match for Gainesville- Haymarket	173,000.00					
Resolution 19-06-14 FY20 PRTC Subsidies	-					
Total Encumbrances	173,000.00					
FY20 Fund Balance Less Outstanding Adopted Resolutions as of 5/31/20			8,008,220.22			



STAFFORD COUNTY

Income

FY19 Ending Fund Balance (as of 6/30/19) from Unreimbursed Encumbrance\* or Surplus/Deficit Collections (carryforward)

5,653,804.91

				Year to Date	Year to Date	
FY20 Motor Fuels Tax Revenue (Beginning 7/1/19)	Monthly Actual	Monthly Budget	Variance	Actual	Budget	Variance
July 2019	450,682.24	354,108.33	96,573.91	450,682.24	354,108.33	96,573.91
August	499,915.27	354,108.33	145,806.94	950,597.51	708,216.66	242,380.85
September	321,428.22	354,108.33	(32,680.11)	1,272,025.73	1,062,324.99	209,700.74
October	452,361.63	354,108.33	98,253.30	1,724,387.36	1,416,433.32	307,954.04
November	380,655.88	354,108.33	26,547.55	2,105,043.24	1,770,541.65	334,501.59
December	410,113.28	354,108.33	56,004.95	2,515,156.52	2,124,649.98	390,506.54
January 2020	346,569.36	354,108.33	(7,538.97)	2,861,725.88	2,478,758.31	382,967.57
February	329,568.90	354,108.33	(24,539.43)	3,191,294.78	2,832,866.64	358,428.14
March	356,659.32	354,108.34	2,550.98	3,547,954.10	3,186,974.98	360,979.12
April	301,977.92	354,108.34	(52,130.42)	3,849,932.02	3,541,083.32	308,848.70
Мау	145,466.87	354,108.34	(208,641.47)	3,995,398.89	3,895,191.66	100,207.23
June	-	-	-	-	-	-
	3,995,398.89	3,895,191.66	100,207.23			
FY20 Year to Date Interest from Investment	79,182.82					
(actual interest earned from collections)						
FY20 PRTC Operating Carryforward (refund)	63,300.00					
Expenses						
Less:						
Resolution 19-06-11 FY20 VRE Subsidies	(2,352,820.00)					
Resolution 19-06-14 FY20 PRTC Subsidies	(104,200.00)					
Total Expenses	(2,457,020.00)					
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FY20 Fund Balance (as of 5/31/20)		L	7,334,666.62			
Outstanding Adopted Resolutions (Encumbrances)						
Resolution 19-06-11 FY20 VRE Subsidies	-					
Resolution 19-06-14 FY20 PRTC Subsidies	-					
Resolution 20-06-06 FY17-FY20 Transportation Projects	4,518,615.00					
Total Encumbrances	4,518,615.00					

FY20 Fund Balance Less Outstanding Adopted Resolutions as of 5/31/20

2,816,051.62



CITY OF MANASSAS

Income

FY19 Ending Fund Balance (as of 6/30/19) from Unreimbursed Encumbrance\* or Surplus/Deficit Collections (carryforward)

847,558.91

				Year to Date	Year to Date	
FY20 Motor Fuels Tax Revenue (Beginning 7/1/19)	Monthly Actual	Monthly Budget	Variance	Actual	Budget	Variance
July 2019	86,846.19	80,766.67	6,079.52	86,846.19	80,766.67	6,079.52
August	79,902.76	80,766.67	(863.91)	166,748.95	161,533.34	5,215.61
September	81,080.78	80,766.67	314.11	247,829.73	242,300.01	5,529.72
October	89,210.83	80,766.67	8,444.16	337,040.56	323,066.68	13,973.88
November	77,925.62	80,766.67	(2,841.05)	414,966.18	403,833.35	11,132.83
December	73,123.98	80,766.67	(7,642.69)	488,090.16	484,600.02	3,490.14
January 2020	76,009.13	80,766.67	(4,757.54)	564,099.29	565,366.69	(1,267.40)
February	69,635.63	80,766.67	(11,131.04)	633,734.92	646,133.36	(12,398.44)
March	72,116.73	80,766.66	(8,649.93)	705,851.65	726,900.02	(21,048.37)
April	44,513.27	80,766.66	(36,253.39)	750,364.92	807,666.68	(57,301.76)
May	43,384.50	80,766.66	(37,382.16)	793,749.42	888,433.34	(94,683.92)
June	-	-	-	-	-	-
	793,749.42	888,433.34	(94,683.92)			
FY20 Year to Date Interest from Investment	7,056.17					
(actual interest earned from collections)						
FY20 PRTC Operating Carryforward (refund)	50,600.00					
Reimbursement from DRPT Grant and Transfer from Manassas	137,185.00	•				
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Expenses						
Less:						
Resolution 19-06-11 FY20 VRE Subsidies	(694,742.00)					
Resolution 19-06-14 FY20 PRTC Subsidies	(471,300.00)					
Resolution 15-00-14 Trzo Filite Subsidies	(471,300.00)					
Total Expenses	(1,166,042.00)					
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FY20 Fund Balance (as of 5/31/20)		Γ	670,107.50			
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Outstanding Adopted Resolutions (Encumbrances)						
Resolution 19-06-11 FY20 VRE Subsidies	-					
Resolution 19-06-14 FY20 PRTC Subsidies	-					
Total Encumbrances	-	•				
FY20 Fund Balance Less Outstanding Adopted Resolutions as of 5/31/20			670,107.50			



#### FUEL TAX REPORT - FY20 CITY OF MANASSAS PARK

Income

FY19 Ending Fund Balance (as of 6/30/19) from Unreimbursed Encumbrance\* or Surplus/Deficit Collections (carryforward)

2,854,976.21

income				Year to Date	Year to Date	
FY20 Motor Fuels Tax Revenue (Beginning 7/1/19)	Monthly Actual	Monthly Budget	Variance	Actual	Budget	Variance
July 2019	72,715.48	61,000.00	11,715.48	72,715.48	61,000.00	11,715.48
August	91,708.34	61,000.00	30,708.34	164,423.82	122,000.00	42,423.82
September	40,281.33	61,000.00	(20,718.67)	204,705.15	183,000.00	21,705.15
October	71,725.55	61,000.00	10,725.55	276,430.70	244,000.00	32,430.70
November	60,218.11	61,000.00	(781.89)	336,648.81	305,000.00	31,648.81
December	63,700.22	61,000.00	2,700.22	400,349.03	366,000.00	34,349.03
January 2020	57,086.81	61,000.00	(3,913.19)	457,435.84	427,000.00	30,435.84
February	49,153.95	61,000.00	(11,846.05)	506,589.79	488,000.00	18,589.79
March	62,370.72	61,000.00	1,370.72	568,960.51	549,000.00	19,960.51
April	31,663.25	61,000.00	(29,336.75)	600,623.76	610,000.00	(9,376.24)
May	31,511.99	61,000.00	(29,488.01)	632,135.75	671,000.00	(38,864.25)
June	-	-	-	-	-	-
	632,135.75	671,000.00	(38,864.25)			
FY20 Year to Date Interest from Investment	42,359.28					
(actual interest earned from collections)	42,000,20					
FY20 PRTC Operating Carryforward (refund)	27,100.00					
Expenses						
Less:						
Resolution 19-06-11 FY20 VRE Subsidies	(405,485.00)					
Resolution 19-06-14 FY20 PRTC Subsidies	(249,700.00)					
Resolution 20-03-05 Manassas Drive roadway improvements	(85,000.00)					
Total Expenses	(740,185.00)					
FY20 Fund Balance (as of 5/31/20)		Г	2,816,386.24			
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Outstanding Adopted Resolutions (Encumbrances)						
Resolution 09-11-07 Road improvements	93,139.69					
Resolution 10-11-05 Road improvements	234,500.00					
Resolution 13-06-08 Safe routes to school project	200,000.00					
Resolution 15-05-07 Road improvements	371,164.00					
Resolution 17-07-06 Road improvements	116,000.00					
Resolution 17-07-07 Road improvements	206,000.00					
Resolution 19-06-11 FY20 VRE Subsidies	-					
Resolution 19-06-14 FY20 PRTC Subsidies	-					
Resolution 19-11-08 Sign installations	15,000.00					
Resolution 19-11-09 Mathis Avenue signal battery backup	10,000.00					
Resolution 20-03-05 Manassas Drive roadway improvements						
Total Encumbrances	1,245,803.69					

FY20 Fund Balance Less Outstanding Adopted Resolutions as of 5/31/20

1,570,582.55



CITY OF FREDERICKSBURG

Income

FY2019 Ending Fund Balance (as of 6/30/19) from Unreimbursed Encumbrance\* or Surplus/Deficit Collections (carryforward)

1,530,475.74

				Year to Date	Year to Date	
FY20 Motor Fuels Tax Revenue (Beginning 7/1/19)	Monthly Actual	Monthly Budget	Variance	Actual	Budget	Variance
July 2019	145,551.01	129,866.67	15,684.34	145,551.01	129,866.67	15,684.34
August	165,640.39	129,866.67	35,773.72	311,191.40	259,733.34	51,458.06
September	98,996.96	129,866.67	(30,869.71)	410,188.36	389,600.01	20,588.35
October	136,860.11	129,866.67	6,993.44	547,048.47	519,466.68	27,581.79
November	119,112.09	129,866.67	(10,754.58)	666,160.56	649,333.35	16,827.21
December	122,756.68	129,866.67	(7,109.99)	788,917.24	779,200.02	9,717.22
January 2020	106,157.24	129,866.67	(23,709.43)	895,074.48	909,066.69	(13,992.21)
February	99,518.57	129,866.67	(30,348.10)	994,593.05	1,038,933.36	(44,340.31)
March	111,110.69	129,866.66	(18,755.97)	1,105,703.74	1,168,800.02	(63,096.28)
April	118,226.14	129,866.66	(11,640.52)	1,223,929.88	1,298,666.68	(74,736.80)
May	23,745.65	129,866.66	(106,121.01)	1,247,675.53	1,428,533.34	(180,857.81)
June		-	-	-	-	-
	1,247,675.53	1,428,533.34	(180,857.81)			
FY20 Year to Date Interest from Investment	25,484.63					
(actual interest earned from collections)						
FY20 PRTC Operating Carryforward (refund)	28,100.00					
Expenses						
Less:						
Resolution 19-06-11 FY20 VRE Subsidies	(321,028.00)					
Resolution 19-06-14 FY20 PRTC Subsidies	(40,300.00)					
Total Expenses	(361,328.00)					
		r				
FY20 Fund Balance (as of 5/31/20)		L	2,470,407.90			
Outstanding Adopted Resolutions (Encumbrances)						
Resolution 19-06-10 Various Projects	432,642.00					
Resolution 19-06-11 FY20 VRE Subsidies	-					
Resolution 19-06-14 FY20 PRTC Subsidies						
Total Encumbrances	432,642.00					
FY20 Fund Balance Less Outstanding Adopted Resolutions as of 5/31/20			2,037,765.90			



SPOTSYLVANIA COUNTY

Income

FY19 Ending Fund Balance (as of 6/30/19) from Unreimbursed Encumbrance\* or Surplus/Deficit Collections (carryforward)

1,940,801.81

					Year to Date	Year to Date	
FY20 Motor Fuels Tax Rev	venue (Beginning 7/1/19)	Monthly Actual	Monthly Budget	Variance	Actual	Budget	Variance
July 2019		537,045.10	395,766.67	141,278.43	537,045.10	395,766.67	141,278.43
August		560,794.99	395,766.67	165,028.32	1,097,840.09	791,533.34	306,306.75
September		363,179.29	395,766.67	(32,587.38)	1,461,019.38	1,187,300.01	273,719.37
October		558,517.45	395,766.67	162,750.78	2,019,536.83	1,583,066.68	436,470.15
November		468,647.15	395,766.67	72,880.48	2,488,183.98	1,978,833.35	509,350.63
December		501,498.12	395,766.67	105,731.45	2,989,682.10	2,374,600.02	615,082.08
January 2020		423,070.18	395,766.67	27,303.51	3,412,752.28	2,770,366.69	642,385.59
February		452,458.93	395,766.67	56,692.26	3,865,211.21	3,166,133.36	699,077.85
March		497,011.40	395,766.66	101,244.74	4,362,222.61	3,561,900.02	800,322.59
April		405,213.04	395,766.66	9,446.38	4,767,435.65	3,957,666.68	809,768.97
May		270,781.26	395,766.66	(124,985.40)	5,038,216.91	4,353,433.34	684,783.57
June		-	-	-	-	-	-
		5,038,216.91	4,353,433.34	684,783.57			
FY20 Year to Date Interes	st from Investment	44,807.27					
(actual interest earned fr	om collections)						
FY20 PRTC Operating Car	ryforward (refund)	71,900.00					
Expenses							
Less:							
Resolution 18-11-07	Various Projects	(9,356.60)					
Resolution 19-04-05	Various Projects	(708,567.75)					
Resolution 19-06-11	FY20 VRE Subsidies	(1,285,670.00)					
Resolution 19-06-14	FY20 PRTC Subsidies	(114,200.00)					
Resolution 20-01-06	Various Projects	(1,047,505.64)					
Total Expenses		(3,165,299.99)					
			г				
FY20 Fund Balance (as of	f 5/31/20)		L	3,930,426.00			
	solutions (Encumbrances)	444.07					
Resolution 18-11-07	-	111.27					
Resolution 19-04-05	Various Projects	-					
Resolution 19-06-11	FY20 VRE Subsidies	-					
Resolution 19-06-14	FY20 PRTC Subsidies	-					
Resolution 20-01-06	Various Projects	152,494.36					
Resolution 20-06-07	FY20 Projects	2,600,000.00					
Total Encumbrances		2,752,605.63					
FY20 Fund Balance Less C	Dutstanding Adopted Resolutions as of 5/31/20			1,177,820.37			