

**MINUTES OF  
FAUQUIER COUNTY TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE  
March 30, 2011**

**7:00 P.M.**

*2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Conference Room – Warren Green Building  
10 Hotel Street  
Warrenton, VA 20186*

**Members Present:** Laurence Mason, Chairman, William D. Nace, Ann McCarty, Adrienne Garreau, R. Holder Trumbo, and J. David Cabbage

**Members Absent:** Peter S. Eltringham, Vice-Chairman, Joel Barkman, and Jeffrey Walker

**Guests Present:** Deidre Clark, RRRC, Marshall Barron, VDOT, Karen Kilby, VDOT, and Greg Banks, VDOT

**Staff Present:** Rick Carr, Susan Eddy, and Meredith Meixner

**1. *Approval of February 23, 2011 Committee Meeting Minutes***

**ACTION:**

**On motion made by Adrienne Garreau and seconded by Larry Mason, it was moved to approve the February 23, 2011 Committee meeting minutes as amended. The motion carried unanimously.**

**2. *Secondary Six-Year Improvement Plan***

Prior to the discussion of the Secondary Six-Year Improvement Plan, Ms. Kilby mentioned that VDOT's Interstate and Primary Six-Year Plan hearing will be held May 18, 2011, therefore this would be the time to send in a resolution or letter. She also mentioned there is a new revenue sharing program. Mr. Carr added that jurisdictions statewide can submit plans for the FY2012 Revenue Sharing Program where there will be an allocation of 50 million dollars. VDOT will fund up to one million dollars per project that meet the qualifications and any remaining funds will go to high priority projects. The Board of Supervisors is considering passing a resolution and submitting an application for the Vint Hill Road Network Project this April.

Mr. Banks read through a packet of information covering the Secondary Six-Year Program for Fauquier County.

- Projected Allocations - \$208,911 per year through 2017
- Six Year Plan Facts
- Terms in the Plan
- Existing Six Year Plan

- Secondary Traffic Counts
- Unpaved Roads in Fauquier County
- Unpaved Roads With 50 VPD or Greater
- Federally Qualifying Secondary Roads
- Projects To Add To Secondary Six Year Plan in 2011 Update
- Projects To Consider At Future Updates As Funding Allows
- Unpaved Road Improvement Options
- Code of Va. Section 33.1-70.01 – Six Year Plan/Budget Process
- Blank Petition
- Contact Information
- General Highway Map with FY2010-2011 Projects Prioritized by Number

Mr. Trumbo suggested that when a request is added to the list, it should be documented who made the request and an explanation of why it is being added.

The committee members were not in favor of adding unpaved roads to the list. The committee members discussed adding the Schoolhouse Road curve improvement project and the Whiting Road railroad crossing project to the plan.

#### **ACTION**

**The Transportation Committee verbally agreed to move forward the Secondary Six-Year Improvement Plan, with the addition of Schoolhouse Road (Route 661) and Whiting Road (Route 622), to the Board of Supervisors for approval.**

#### **3. *David Blake Request (Route 215 – Vint Hill Road)***

Mr. Trumbo stated that he and Dave Cabbage went on a site visit and drove the section of Route 215 described in Mr. Blake's request.

#### **ACTION:**

**The committee postponed discussion until Mr. Blake was present to discuss with VDOT.**

#### **4. *Cedar Lee Middle School Safe Routes to School Application***

Mrs. Eddy distributed maps and a draft resolution regarding Cedar Lee Middle School's application to be awarded a Virginia Department of Transportation Safe Routes to School Program 2011 Grant. Based on the proposed improvements, such as crosswalks, signage, foot bridges, multipurpose paths, etc, the committee felt Cedar Lee Middle School would be a great candidate for this program.

#### **ACTION:**

**On motion made by Adrienne Garreau and seconded by Holder Trumbo, it was moved to pass a resolution strongly supporting the Safe Routes to School program and grant application for Cedar Lee Middle School. The motion carried unanimously.**

**5. *Citizens' Time***

No citizens spoke at this time.

**6. *Other Items***

Mr. Mason stated that the first Bealeton Area Plan public meeting was successful. Mrs. Eddy noted that citizens strongly felt that the speed limit should be reduced and preferred the boulevard style as the future of Route 17 through the Bealeton service district. The next public meeting will be held May 5, 2011.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:53 p.m.

The next meeting will be held on **Wednesday, April 27, 2011.**