

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

7:00 P.M.

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

Members Present: Laurence Mason, Chairman, Peter S. Eltringham, Vice-Chairman, William D. Nace, Adrienne Garreau, R. Holder Trumbo and Ed Moore

Members Absent: Jeffrey Walker and J. David Cubbage

Guests Present: Jenny Biche, RRRC

Staff Present: Rick Carr, Kimberley Fogle, Susan Eddy, Meredith Meixner and Harvey Clark

1. *Approval of October 26, 2011 Committee Meeting Minutes*

ACTION: The action to approve the October 26, 2011 Committee meeting minutes will be postponed until the next meeting on January 25, 2012 after recommended changes have been reviewed.

2. *Weaversville Road – Ashley Babb*

Ashley Babb was unable to attend.

ACTION: The Transportation Committee postponed discussion until Ms. Babb was present to discuss with VDOT.

3. *Clarkes Road – Renee Andersen*

ACTION: On motion made by Bill Nace and seconded by Holder Trumbo, it was moved to request VDOT add a “No Outlet” sign to Clarkes Road. The motion carried unanimously.

4. *Bealeton Corridor Study*

Mrs. Eddy reviewed the study results regarding transportation through the Bealeton Service District. Attendees of the citizen committee meetings agreed they would like a walkable,

boulevard concept along Route 17 through the district. Mrs. Eddy stated that 3-4 roundabouts are included in the concept plan and built with White Marsh and other future projects.

Mr. Eltringham suggested adding language recommending physical traffic calming methods in order to slow northbound traffic on Rt. 17 after the railroad bridge.

Mrs. Eddy indicated that the County's Comprehensive Plan shows a Bealeton Bypass that could handle long term truck traffic.

Mr. Trumbo suggested the group provide comments on the study to Mrs. Eddy by mid-January in order for her to add it to the January Planning Commission agenda.

ACTION: The Transportation Committee agreed to provide comments to Susan Eddy by mid-January before the January Planning Commission Meeting.

5. *Route 29 Options*

Ms. Fogle presented three alternative scenarios for the intersections in the Rt. 29 corridor from Rt. 215, Vint Hill Road to Rt. 600, Broad Run Church Road.

Mr. Trumbo suggested the Transportation Committee make recommendations to the New Baltimore Service District Citizen Planning Committee (NBSDCPC) on how transportation decisions affect safety and what does and doesn't work. He further suggested that Mr. Eltringham, Ms. Garreau and Mr. Moore create an executive summary of experiences with the Transportation Committee that would act as a guide for the NBSDCPC.

ACTION: The Transportation Committee agreed that Mr. Eltringham, Ms. Garreau and Mr. Moore will create an executive summary of experiences with the Transportation Committee that would act as a guide for the NBSDCPC.

6. *Remington Bridge Resolution*

Mrs. Eddy reviewed the agenda item.

She shared that CTB Member Jim Rich supports the preservation of the bridge and the Town of Remington has a resolution in support of preserving the bridge that will be considered on December 12, 2012 at their Town Council meeting. Mrs. Eddy also spoke with John Eggerston of Culpeper County who confirmed the bridge is listed on Culpeper's Six Year Plan and will be discussing with their Rules Committee.

Mr. Trumbo suggested staff confirms who is responsible for the bridge with VDOT. He further suggested that the Transportation Committee make a recommendation to the BOS to support all efforts to save the existing bridge.

ACTION: On motion made by Adrienne Garreau and seconded by Peter Eltringham, it was moved to make a recommendation to the BOS to support all efforts to save the

existing bridge rather than having it replaced for historic purposes and the cultural value to the Remington area. The motion carried unanimously with Holder Trumbo abstaining.

7. *Regional Road Priorities*

ACTION: Staff will forward the first four primary road projects to the RRRC as our regional priorities.

8. *Citizens' Time*

No citizens spoke at this time.

9. *Other Items*

Mr. Eltringham asked what topics might be on the January agenda. Mrs. Eddy stated that Dave Cabbage was due back to provide updates on Rogues Road, Rt. 215 and Waterloo Road.

Mrs. Eddy read a brief email from Dave Cabbage stating that there will be no change in signage along Route 215 based on the studies.

Ms. Garreau mentioned that the Planning Commission had a presentation from Journey Through Hallowed Ground who is developing a Living Legacy Tree Planting program.

Mr. Nace provided VDOT regulations regarding roundabouts to the group.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:56 p.m.

The next meeting will be held on **Wednesday, January 25, 2012.**