

**HAMPTON ROADS TRANSPORTATION PLANNING ORGANIZATION  
CITIZEN TRANSPORTATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE  
CTAC RESOLUTION 2013-01**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE HRTPO CITIZEN TRANSPORTATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE ENDORSING THE HB2313 HAMPTON ROADS TRANSPORTATION FUND PROGRAMMING OPTIONS.**

**WHEREAS**, as the HRTPO Citizen Transportation Advisory Committee (CTAC) of the HRTPO, the mission of the CTAC is to provide the HRTPO with a citizen's viewpoint on regional transportation issues, strategies, funding, priorities, and the decision-making process of the HRTPO;

**WHEREAS**, the recently enacted HB2313 legislation establishes new revenues for transportation, a portion of which will be deposited to a newly established Hampton Roads Transportation Fund (HRTF), effective July 1, 2013, to be expended "for new construction projects on new or existing roads, bridges, and tunnels in the localities comprising Planning District 23 as approved by the Hampton Roads Transportation Planning Organization";

**WHEREAS**, the HB2313 legislation dedicates two revenue streams to the Hampton Roads Transportation Fund (HRTF) and prescribes the HRTPO to have full purview and discretion on how and when to spend these dollars;

**WHEREAS**, beginning in FY 2014, HRTF funding will be approximately \$179 million and growing to \$234 million in FY 2019, generating approximately \$5.5 billion over the next twenty years for regional transportation projects that would provide the greatest impact on reducing congestion as prescribed in the HB2313 legislation; and

**WHEREAS**, the HRTPO Board has been briefed by HRTPO staff, legal, and financial advisors on the following Programming Options for the HRTF funds:

- Bond Funded – Dedicate up to one-third of the HRTF revenues for Mega Projects
- Cash Match Funded – Dedicate up to one-third of the HRTF revenues for Interstate and Interchange Projects to match Federal/State funding
- Cash Funded – Dedicate at least one-third of the HRTF revenues for Committed and Local Projects of Regional Significance.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the HRTPO Citizen Transportation Advisory Committee endorses the HB2313 Hampton Roads Transportation Fund Programming Options.

**APPROVED and ADOPTED** by the HRTPO Citizen Transportation Advisory Committee at its meeting on the 11th day of July, 2013.



Shepelle Watkins-White  
Chair  
HRTPO Citizen Transportation  
Advisory Committee



Dwight L. Farmer  
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Hampton Roads Transportation  
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