

RESOLUTION NO. 2803

**RESOLUTION TO CONSIDER THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA PROPOSED PROGRAM
OF TRANSPORTATION PROJECTS FOR SUBMISSION TO THE NORTHERN
VIRGINIA TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY (NVTa) FOR 70 PERCENT
REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION FUNDING FOR FY 2018 to FY 2023**

WHEREAS, in April 2013, House Bill 2313 was signed into law, levying additional taxes and a fee in Planning Districts that meet population, motor vehicle registration, and transit ridership criteria; and

WHEREAS, additional revenues generated in Northern Virginia through these taxes and fees are deposited into a fund managed by the Northern Virginia Transportation Authority (NVTa), and thirty (30) percent of the funds are distributed directly to member localities for use on transportation projects, and the remaining seventy (70) percent of the funds are distributed by NVTa and used for regional transportation projects; and

WHEREAS, projects seeking NVTa 70% regional transportation funds must be included in NVTa's long range transportation plan, TransAction, which was approved by the NVTa at their October 12, 2017 meeting; and

WHEREAS, NVTa 70% capital funds do not have a local match requirement and are provided on a reimbursement basis; and

WHEREAS, on October 12, 2017, the NVTa formally requested applications seeking 70% regional transportation funding for their first six-year program, FY 2018 to FY 2023; and

WHEREAS, it is anticipated that approximately \$1.5 billion (based on revenue projections) will be made available within this six-year program for regional transportation projects; and

WHEREAS, The City of Alexandria's prioritized program of transportation projects are included in NVTa's TransAction plan, and is based on need and priority; and

WHEREAS, the following City of Alexandria projects are proposed for the 70% regional transportation funding for the FY 2018 to FY 2023 six-year program, in priority order; and

1. West End Transitway – Northern Segment (TransAction Project #42: West End Transitway); Request of \$60,750,000
2. Transit Signal Priority on Route 7 and Route 236 (TransAction Project #113: Alexandria ITS Projects); Request of \$1,195,491
3. DASH Technology Needs (TransAction Project #194: Alexandria Bus Network ITS); Request of \$150,000
4. DASH Fleet and Facility Expansion (TransAction Project #85: DASH Transit Service Enhancements and Expansion); Request of \$11,933,161
5. King Street Pedestrian and Bike Improvements / TSP / ITS (TransAction Project # 90: Alexandria Bike and Pedestrian Trails and Reconstruction); Request of \$2,200,000
6. Duke Street BRT (TransAction Project #41: Duke Street Transitway); Request of \$12,000,000

WHEREAS, The City of Alexandria's prioritized program of transportation projects was endorsed by the Alexandria Transportation Commission on November 15, 2017;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA:**

1. That the City Council endorses the proposed program of Transportation Projects for submission to NVTa for 70% regional transportation funding for FY 2018 to FY 2023;

Adopted: January 9, 2018


ALLISON SILBERBERG MAYOR

ATTEST:


Gloria Sitton, CMC City Clerk