

RESOLUTION NO. _____

**TO SUPPORT THE PROPOSED TRANSPORTATION PROJECT APPLICATION FOR
THE NORTHERN VIRGINIA TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY 70% REGIONAL
TRANSPORTATION FUNDS FOR THE FY 2024 to FY 2025 SIX YEAR PROGRAM UPDATE
AND AUTHORIZE THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE ANY NECESSARY AGREEMENTS
TO ACCEPT THE FUNDS.**

WHEREAS, in April, 2013 the General Assembly and Governor approved a new transportation funding bill (HB2313) with all taxes and fees imposed by the General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, 70% of HB2313 revenues will be allocated by the Northern Virginia Transportation Authority (NVTa) for capital projects that increase capacity, and are included in the regional long range transportation plan (TransAction), and

WHEREAS, the City's Transportation Master Plan has prioritized the development of three Transitways, including the Metroway service, which is operational, the West End Transitway, which is fully funded for Phase I, and the Duke Street Transitway; and

WHEREAS, the City received \$12 million from NVTa as part of NVTa's FY 2018 to FY 2023 Six Year Program toward the environmental, planning and preliminary design for the Alexandria Duke Street Transitway (TransAction ID #41), due to a high project rating; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Alexandria hereby supports this application to the NVTa for an allocation of \$75 million for the construction of a first phase for the Alexandria Duke Street Transitway (TransActionID#41).

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the City Council of the City of Alexandria hereby grants authority for the City Manager to apply for these grant funds and enter into any necessary agreements with the NVTa to accept this grant.

Adopted: _____

JUSTIN M. WILSON,

MAYOR

ATTEST:

Gloria Sitton, City Clerk