

RRTPO POLICY BOARD AGENDA 06/4/20; ITEM B.8.

**TRANSIT WORK GROUP
Richmond Regional Transportation Planning Organization**

REQUESTED ACTION: This item is presented for Richmond Regional Transportation Planning Organization (RRTPO) policy board consideration to assemble a working group to focus on regional transit and be utilized as needed to support transit development in the region.

BACKGROUND: The Central Virginia Transportation Authority was established by the 2020 General Assembly and given the responsibility to develop transportation priorities and administer funds generated through fuel and sales/use taxes to projects in the Richmond Region. As part of that legislation, the CVTA is called to utilize GRTC and RRTPO to develop a plan for regional public transportation within Planning District 15.

The current RRTPO structure does not include a committee specifically tasked with addressing transit in the region. In its efforts to support more equitable transportation services in the Richmond region, this work group would provide a forum for more transparent regional conversations about mobility and accessibility for all residents.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION: Staff recommends that the RRTPO Policy Board direct TAC to establish a transit work group.

ACTION REQUESTED: The following resolution is presented for RRTPO policy board review and action:

RESOLVED, that the Richmond Regional Transportation Planning Organization (RRTPO) policy board directs the RRTPO Technical Advisory Committee to establish a Transit Work Group to begin immediate work towards development of a regional public transportation plan.

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