

Virginia Passenger Rail Authority

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RESOLUTION OF THE VIRGINIA PASSENGER RAIL AUTHORITY BOARD

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MOTION

Made By: Thelma Drake

Seconded By: James Spore

Action: Motion Carried, Unanimously

<u>Title: Capital Grant Budget Adjustment for Newport News</u>
<u>Station, Platform, & Service Facility Project</u>

WHEREAS, on May 25, 2023, the Board adopted the *Fiscal Year 2024 Budget* (the "**FY24 Budget**") for the Virginia Passenger Rail Authority ("**VPRA**"), which includes \$43,900,000 total project budget for the line item titled "Newport News Station, Platform, & Service Facility"; and

WHEREAS, the City of Newport News and VPRA are partnering to construct a replacement passenger train station with intermodal connectivity, together with train storage and service facilities to accommodate existing and future Amtrak service (the "Project"); and

WHEREAS, under the federal CRISI grant program VPRA was allocated \$1,200,000 for the Project; and

WHEREAS, VPRA now desires to increase the line item titled "Newport News Station, Platform, & Service Facility" in the FY24 Budget by \$1,200,000, from \$43,900,000 to \$45,100,000; and

WHEREAS, § 3.4.1 of VPRA's BYLAWS requires the Board to approve capital grants budget adjustments exceeding \$250,000.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board hereby approves a budget adjustment to increase the total VPRA budget for the line item titled "Newport News Station, Platform, & Service Facility" in the FY24 Budget by \$1,200,000, from \$43,900,000 to \$45,100,000.

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