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Mr. Christopher Zimmerman, Chairman  
Arlington County Board  
2100 Clarendon Boulevard  
Arlington, VA 22201

RE: Resolution authorizing County participation in the Virginia Department of Transportation's Fiscal Year 2013 Revenue Sharing Program

Dear Chairman Zimmerman:

I am writing to express the views of the Transportation Commission concerning the County Manager's recommendations relating to County participation in the Virginia Department of Transportation's Fiscal Year 2013 Revenue Sharing Program.

**The Transportation Commission, by a vote of 8-0, approved a motion to recommend that the County Board adopt the County Manager's proposed Resolution Authorizing Application to the Virginia Department of Transportation FY2013 Revenue Sharing Program funds for the Shirlington Road Bridge Rehabilitation Project.**

The Commission heard this item at its meeting on November 3, 2011. The Commission received a presentation from staff; there were no public speakers. Present and voting at the meeting were Commissioners Gearhart, Armbruster, Everline, Grant, Hubbard, Lynott, Slatt, and Torma.

In discussion Commissioners noted that the Program requires that Program funds be used for improvements to the highway network, including trails. The Commissioners viewed the selection of the Shirlington Road Bridge Rehabilitation Project, which would improve the connection between the W&OD trail and the Four Mile Run Trail and the pedestrian connection between Nauck and Shirlington Village, as a much needed improvement and an appropriate subject for funding through this program.

I would be glad to answer any questions (703-522-2276).

Sincerely,

Bill Gearhart  
Chairman