

AN ORDINANCE TO ENABLE SPOTSYLVANIA COUNTY, VIRGINIA TO BECOME A MEMBER OF THE POTOMAC and RAPPAHANNOCK TRANSPORTATION DISTRICT

WHEREAS, Spotsylvania County desires to become a member of the Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation District; and

WHEREAS, the expanded Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation District shall embrace the territorial limits of Spotsylvania County; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of Spotsylvania County, Virginia, after public notice and public hearing, as required by law, does hereby find that the orderly growth and development of the county and the comfort, convenience and safety of its citizens require an improved transportation system, composed of transit facilities, public highways and other modes of transport, and that joint action through a transportation district by the counties and cities which are to compose the transportation district will facilitate the planning and development of the needed transportation system; and

WHEREAS, the agreement between the Board of Supervisors of Spotsylvania County, Virginia and the Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation District and the associated Commission, specifying the terms and conditions of admittance to the Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation District, has been executed. Attached to this ordinance is a certified copy of the agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the Board of Supervisors of Spotsylvania County, Virginia, that the Board does hereby adopt the following ordinance pursuant to Virginia Code § 15.2-4529 (1950, as amended):

1. The Board hereby adopts the Amended Founding Ordinance and Master Agreement - Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation District;
2. The orderly growth and development of the county and the comfort, convenience and safety of its citizens require an improved transportation system, composed of

transit facilities, public highways and other modes of transport, and that joint action through a transportation district by the counties and cities which are to compose the transportation district will facilitate the planning and development of the needed transportation system; and

3. The agreement, between the Board of Supervisors of Spotsylvania County, Virginia and the Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation District and the associated Commission, specifying the terms and conditions of admittance to the Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation District, has been executed.
4. Spotsylvania County's participation in the Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation District and the Virginia Railway Express shall be effective February 15, 2010.

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
OF SPOTSYLVANIA COUNTY, VIRGINIA

BY: _____
Henry "Hap" Connors, Jr., Chairman

ATTEST:

C. Douglas Barnes
Interim County Administrator

Approved as to form:

Jacob P. Stroman, IV
County Attorney