

RESOLUTION

Resolution No. 21-04

PATRON: Robert W. Lazaro, Jr.
Executive Director

DATE: October 22, 2020

AUTHORIZATION TO SIGN MOUS WITH TECHNOLOGY PARTNERS TO PROVIDE TRANSPORTATION SERVICES TO THE MILITARY BASES IN NORTHERN VIRGINIA

WHEREAS, the Northern Virginia Regional Commission was involved in coordinating a regional response to the 2005 Base Re-Alignment and Closure (BRAC) and identified transportation congestion as a major issue.

WHEREAS, NVRC has been working with the Military on Section 331 (codified in 10 USC 2336) of FY13 National Defense Authorization Act (NDAA) which allows for expanded partnerships;

WHEREAS, Joint Base Myer Henderson Hall, Fort Belvoir, and Marine Corps Base Quantico have identified TDM strategies to reduce single occupancy vehicles (SOVs) in their draft Transportation Management Plans (TMPs) and have lost funding through sequestration for ETC positions;

WHEREAS, NVRC has an MOU with each of the bases in Northern Virginia to provide Transportation Demand Management services with the bases (Joint Base Myer Henderson Hall, Fort Belvoir, and Marine Corps Base Quantico) to provide education and marketing on the available benefits of car and van pooling; and

WHEREAS, this program may alleviate traffic congestion on I-95, I-395, and Route 1; provide additional commuter transportation choices; is a more environmentally friendly commuter option; provides VMT reductions and cheaper options; and supports the I-95 Express Lanes; and

WHEREAS, this concept was identified during the Community and Military Meetings to address this transportation demand management gap and has support from the bases (Joint Base Myer-Henderson Hall, Fort Belvoir, and Marine Corps Base Quantico);

WHEREAS, staff have reviewed and worked with the Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT) on these TDM Strategies; and

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Northern Virginia Regional Commission agrees to allow the Executive Director to sign alternative transportation MOUs to include such services as: Waze, Lyft, Uber and Enterprise Commute.



CERTIFICATION

The undersigned certifies that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted at a legally convened meeting of the Northern Virginia Regional Commission on October 22, 2020.



ROBERT W. LAZARO, JR., CERTIFYING OFFICER