



COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA


Office of the Governor

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MEMORANDUM

TO: The Honorable Terry McAuliffe, Governor of Virginia
Members of the General Assembly

FROM: The Honorable Aubrey L. Layne, Jr. 

SUBJECT: Allocation of Transportation Funds

In accordance with Item 427 B.1. of Chapter 665 of the 2015 Acts of Assembly, this memorandum will certify that all available federal transportation funds will be used in accordance with applicable federal law and in support of the transportation policy goals included in that Chapter. The forecasted federal revenues expected to be provided by the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) to the Commonwealth in fiscal year 2015 totals \$935 million, including special bonus obligation distributions. Fiscal year 2016 FHWA federal revenues are projected at \$934 million. The actual funding made available may change based upon Congressional action and final funding distributions by the FHWA. The required matching funds to support the federal revenues are supported by a combination of state and local funds.

On June 17, 2015, the Commonwealth Transportation Board (CTB) will consider adoption of the FY 2016-2021 Six-Year Improvement Program (SYIP) as well as the annual budgets of the Department of Transportation and Department of Rail and Public Transportation. The draft SYIP was presented to the CTB on April 14, 2015 followed by nine public hearings held between April 21 and May 11, 2015.

Information on the draft SYIP is available at the Department of Transportation's website, www.vdot.virginia.gov or the Department of Rail and Public Transportation's website, www.drpt.virginia.gov. The final versions of the SYIP and the budgets will be made available at the online address above upon CTB approval.