

The Town of  
**Leesburg,  
Virginia**

PRESENTED: June 26, 2012

RESOLUTION NO. 2012- 076

ADOPTED: June 26, 2012

A RESOLUTION: ROUTE 7 TRUCK-CLIMBING LANE LOCATION AND DESIGN  
PUBLIC HEARING APPROVAL

WHEREAS, a Location and Design Public Hearing was conducted on May 9, 2012 at Loudoun County High School in Leesburg, Virginia, by representatives of the Commonwealth of Virginia, Department of Transportation after due and proper notice for the purpose of considering the proposed location and design of the Route 7 Truck-Climbing Lane Project Number 6007-053-133, P101, R201, C501 Federal Number STP-5401 (518) in Loudoun County and the Town of Leesburg at which drawings, a Draft Environmental Document, and other pertinent information were made available for public inspection in accordance with state and federal requirements; and

WHEREAS, all persons and parties in attendance were afforded full opportunity to participate in said public hearing; and

WHEREAS, representatives of the Town of Leesburg were present and participated in said hearing; and

WHEREAS, this project will reduce congestion and delays on Route 7 west of Leesburg which will improve rush hour conditions on the Route 7 Bypass which currently has the lowest level of service "F" during the P.M. peak hour; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council had previously requested the Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT) to program this project to expand capacity to handle the increase in traffic volume; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council recommends that VDOT continue to pursue the project as a design-build procurement; and

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WHEREAS, the current project schedule identifies a design-build process with a request for design-build proposals to be advertised in the Fall of 2012; and

WHEREAS, by implementing a design-build procurement, construction can begin in 2013;  
and

WHEREAS, the area encompassing the project is experiencing continued growth; and

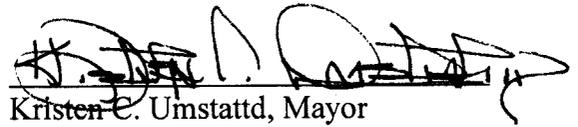
WHEREAS, the Town Council has considered all such matters.

THEREFORE, RESOLVED by the Council of the Town of Leesburg in Virginia as follows:

SECTION I. The Town of Leesburg hereby approves the location and major design features of the proposed project as presented at the Public Hearing.

SECTION II. The Town of Leesburg requests VDOT to continue to pursue the project as a design-build procurement to expedite the project.

PASSED this 26<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2012.

  
Kristen C. Umstatt, Mayor  
Town of Leesburg

ATTEST:

  
Clerk of Council



Loudoun County, Virginia

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At a business meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Loudoun County, Virginia, held in the County Government Center, Board of Supervisors' Meeting Room, 1 Harrison St., S.E., Leesburg, Virginia, on Tuesday, June 19, 2012 at 5:00 p.m.

IN RE: BOARD OF SUPERVISORS' ENDORSEMENT/ROUTE 7 WESTBOUND  
CLIMBING LANE PROJECT (CATOCTIN DISTRICT)

Mr. Buona moved that the Board of Supervisors endorse the Route 7 Westbound Truck Climbing Lane Design Public Hearing plans (VDOT Project Number 6007-053-133, P101, RW-201, C-501 – UPC 58599).

Seconded by Mrs. Volpe.

Voting on the Motion: Supervisors Buona, Clarke, Delgaudio, Higgins, Letourneau, Reid, Volpe and Williams – Yes; None – No; Chairman York – Absent for the Vote.

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DEPUTY CLERK FOR THE LOUDOUN  
COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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