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Agenda item # 1

RESOLUTION OF THE COMMONWEALTH TRANSPORTATION BOARD

May 15, 2013

MOTION

Made By: Mr. Layne Seconded By: Mr. Ellis

Action: Motion Carried, Unanimously

**Title: Abandonment of a Portion of Frontage Road F-144 Located in The
City of Chesapeake, Running Parallel to Route 168**

WHEREAS, Frontage Roads are constructed in conjunction with limited access highways to preserve service to properties that would otherwise be deprived of access to a public road; and

WHEREAS, Frontage Road F-144 was constructed to provide access to lots that would otherwise have been landlocked as a result of reconfiguration of an interchange on Interstate 64; and,

WHEREAS, the development of an adjacent Wal-Mart store and access road on the opposite side of the lots means that F-144 is no longer needed to provide access to the lots.

WHEREAS, the owner of one of the lots served by Frontage Road F-144 has requested that Frontage Road F-144 be abandoned so that it can expand its parking lot; and,

WHEREAS, Department staff completed the public involvement process prescribed by §33.1-145, *Code of Virginia*, 1950, as amended, by publishing the requisite notices, and no comments or request for a public hearing were received; and

WHEREAS, the City of Chesapeake does not object to the abandonment, subject to the reservation of a public drainage easement for continued use by the City or conditioned on the grant of a drainage easement to the City in the full area of the proposed abandonment; and,

WHEREAS, the Department received no objections to the proposed abandonment and recommends the road be abandoned.

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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, pursuant to § 33.1-145 of the *Code*, the Commonwealth Transportation Board hereby orders the abandonment of the portion of Frontage Road F-144 as a public road in the State Highway System, from 0.06 miles to 0.25 miles north of the intersection of Walmart Way and Charterhouse Road to the intersection with Joshua Way for a total of approximately 0.19 miles.

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