



# COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA

## *Commonwealth Transportation Board*

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*Agenda item # 1*

### **RESOLUTION OF THE COMMONWEALTH TRANSPORTATION BOARD**

**October 17, 2013**

#### **MOTION**

**Made By: Mr. Matney Seconded By: Mr. Peake**

**Action: Motion Carried, Unanimously**

**Title: “Blake Wiley Farris, Jr. Memorial Bridge” Commemorative Naming of the Bridge on Route 91 that spans the North Fork Holsten River, Smyth County**

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Supervisors of Smyth County want to memorialize Blake Wiley Farris, Jr.; and

**WHEREAS**, in accordance with §33.1-12(4) of the *Code of Virginia*, the Board of Supervisors of Smyth County has requested, by resolution, that the Commonwealth Transportation Board, in memory of Blake Wiley Farris, Jr., name the bridge on Route 91 that spans the North Fork Holsten River, Smyth County as the “Blake Wiley Farris, Jr. Memorial Bridge”; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Supervisors of Smyth County has agreed to reimburse the costs associated with providing and installing the necessary signs.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, pursuant to § 33.1-12(4), *Code of Virginia*, 1950, as amended, the Commonwealth Transportation Board hereby names the bridge on Route 91 that spans the North Fork Holsten River, Smyth County as the “Blake Wiley Farris, Jr. Memorial Bridge”; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, the Department of Transportation is hereby directed to fabricate and erect appropriate signs and to invoice the Board of Supervisors of Smyth County for the costs related to this commemorative naming.

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