

RESOLUTION NO. 598

WHEREAS, the General Assembly will be considering legislation both to provide State funding for Metro and to enable additional local revenue sources to support Metro; and

WHEREAS, the Northern Virginia Transportation Commission has made several proposals in regard to such legislation;

WHEREAS, these proposals would assist the City of Alexandria and other Northern Virginia jurisdictions in meeting their Metro financial obligations and would relieve some of the current burden these obligations place on the local real property tax.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Alexandria, Virginia that the City's delegation to the Virginia General Assembly be requested to support legislation which encompasses the funding proposals of the Northern Virginia Transportation Commission.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the delegation be urged to attempt to ensure that legislation authorizing State funding for public transportation in Northern Virginia permit the use of such funds for either bus or rail capital expenditures, including, if feasible the payment of debt service on rail capital revenue bonds.

Adopted January 24, 1978

Mrs. Helen Holleman, Clerk of the City
of Alexandria, Virginia