

EXPRESSING THE GRATITUDE AND APPRECIATION  
OF THE GREATER CLEVELAND REGIONAL TRANSIT AUTHORITY  
TO

WILLIAM E. DECKMAN

AND EXTENDING TO HIM ITS BEST WISHES UPON HIS RETIREMENT

WHEREAS, William E. Deckman has been employed by the Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority and its predecessors since January 1, 1939; and

WHEREAS, William E. Deckman was the Comptroller of the Cleveland Transit System from February 1, 1962 until September 5, 1975 and has been Comptroller of the Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority since September 5, 1975; and

WHEREAS, William E. Deckman, as said Comptroller, administered and supervised the financial affairs of the Cleveland Transit System under the stringent limitations and restrictions of the Mortgage Indenture and was the financial manager of the System faced with ever increasing costs and declining revenues; and

WHEREAS, William E. Deckman served faithfully, diligently and efficiently the Cleveland Transit System and the Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority during the formative and transitional stages of the transfer of the County's Mass Transit facilities providing accurate, detailed and necessary financial information to the parties involved in the transfer; and

WHEREAS, William E. Deckman has continued to give his outstanding service to the Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority during its critical first fifteen months providing the Board of Trustees and Management with the essential financial data and projections necessary for effective, efficient operation and development of the Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority; and

WHEREAS, William E. Deckman has been a public servant of the highest character and integrity; and

WHEREAS, William E. Deckman is now retiring from the Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE GREATER CLEVELAND REGIONAL TRANSIT AUTHORITY, CUYAHOGA COUNTY:

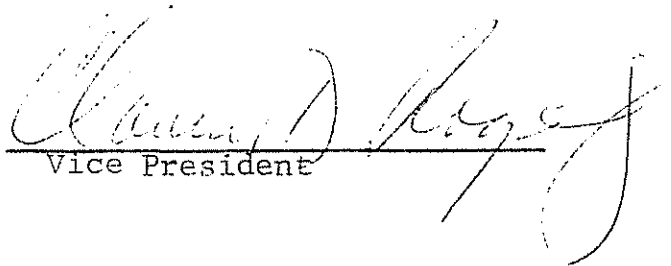
Section 1. That William E. Deckman be and he is hereby commended for his faithful, diligent and efficient performance of duties for the Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority and its predecessors, serving as an example to all in public service.

Section 2. That the members of the Board of Trustees both in their individual and official capacities express their gratitude to William E. Deckman on the occasion of his retirement and further extend to him Best Wishes and Many Long Years of Much Happiness.

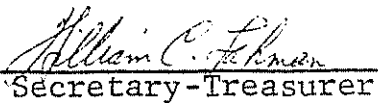
Section 3. That the Secretary-Treasurer of the Board of Trustees prepare a formal memorialization of this resolution and present it to William E. Deckman in recognition of his exemplary service.

Section 4. That this resolution is effective immediately upon its adoption.

ADOPTED: January 11, 1977

  
Vice President

ATTEST:

  
Secretary-Treasurer