

RESOLUTION NO. 1994-194

EXPRESSING THE GREAT SORROW OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
AND STAFF OF THE GREATER CLEVELAND REGIONAL TRANSIT AUTHORITY
AT THE PASSING OF ARLENE F. BUTLER
AND EXTENDING THEIR CONDOLENCES TO THE FAMILY

WHEREAS, Arlene F. Butler began her career in public transportation on February 21, 1938, joining the Cleveland Railway Company as a stenographer in the Executive Department immediately after leaving business school; and

WHEREAS, Arlene F. Butler worked her way up through the ranks in the Public Relations Department at the Cleveland Railway Company and its successor, the Cleveland Transit System, becoming Director of Public Relations on November 5, 1966. She achieved recognition throughout the public transit industry for her long career in this field, winning hundreds of friends in transit, government, the news media and advertising industries; and


WHEREAS, Arlene F. Butler retired from her employment as Director of Public Relations of the Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority on April 1, 1988, after more than fifty years of continuous employment with one transit system and its two successors. She earned the respect and admiration of her co-workers, employer, the riding public and all citizens of Cuyahoga County for her devotion and service to the community and her peers throughout the public transportation industry and news media.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of the Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority, Cuyahoga County, Ohio:

Section 1. That the Board of Trustees and employees of the Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority hereby honor the memory of Arlene F. Butler and publicly express their sorrow upon her death.

Section 2. That the Board of Trustees and employees extend to the family of Arlene F. Butler their most sincere regrets and condolences upon their loss.

Adopted November 22, 1994


General Manager/Secretary-Treasurer