

RESOLUTION NO. 1999 - 168

HONORING LOUIS STOKES FOR HIS COMMITMENT AND DEDICATION TO PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION AND NAMING THE WINDERMERE RAPID STATION THE "LOUIS STOKES STATION AT WINDERMERE" IN APPRECIATION.

WHEREAS, Congressman Louis Stokes served the Cleveland area with distinction in the United States Congress since 1969; and

WHEREAS, Congressman Louis Stokes' visionary leadership was paramount to the creation of the Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority in 1975; and

WHEREAS, Congressman Louis Stokes worked tirelessly for 15 terms in the House of Representatives to improve the quality of life for the people of Greater Cleveland and fought for public transportation as an essential component for healthy communities.

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

Section 1: That the most sincere appreciation of the Board of Trustees is hereby extended to Congressman Louis Stokes for his commitment and dedication to public transit, the riding public, and the citizens of Cuyahoga County, Ohio:

Section 2: That the members of the Board of Trustees express their gratitude to Congressman Louis Stokes by naming the Windermere Rapid Station the "Louis Stokes Station at Windermere."

Section 3: That the Interim General Manager is hereby directed to name the Windermere Rapid Station the "Louis Stokes Station at Windermere."

Section 4: That the Interim General Manager is hereby directed to have a memorialization of this resolution certified and presented to Congressman Louis Stokes as a symbol of gratitude.

Section 5: That this resolution shall be effective immediately upon its adoption.

Adopted: November 23, 1999.

Attest: Clarence D. [Signature]
Interim General Manager

[Signature]
President