

RESOLUTION NO. 2001-196

EXPRESSING APPRECIATION TO MAYOR MICHAEL R. WHITE
FOR HIS SERVICE TO THE CITY OF CLEVELAND
AND THE GREATER CLEVELAND REGIONAL TRANSIT AUTHORITY
AND EXTENDING BEST WISHES FOR MANY HAPPY YEARS TO COME

WHEREAS, the Honorable Michael R. White became Mayor of the City of Cleveland on January 1, 1990, and has served this city, this area, and the Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority with devotion, dedication and distinction for 12 years; and

WHEREAS, Michael R. White will leave the Office of the Mayor on Jan. 6, 2002, as the longest-serving mayor in Cleveland history; and

WHEREAS, Michael R. White has actively lent his boundless energy and enthusiasm to play a leadership role on many key GCRTA projects, including 1). The planning and construction for transit service to the Gateway sports complex, including the convenient and popular Walkway to Gateway, and 2). The completion of the light-rail Waterfront Line to showcase outstanding Cleveland attractions during Cleveland's bicentennial celebration, 3). the construction of the new Browns Stadium and its award-winning West Third Street rail station, and 4). the planning and development of the Euclid Corridor Transportation Project, which will invigorate Euclid Ave from downtown to East Cleveland and change the way people use public transportation for years to come.

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

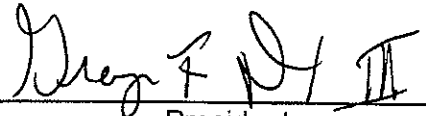
Section 1. That the most sincere appreciation of the Board of Trustees is hereby extended to Michael R. White for his dedicated service to the City of Cleveland, and the Authority, on behalf of the riding public and citizens of Cuyahoga County.

Section 2. That the members of the Board of Trustees offer their best wishes to Michael R. White in hopes that he will enjoy many years of happiness in his future endeavors.

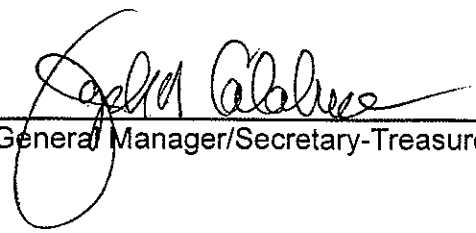
Section 3. That the CEO, General Manager/Secretary-Treasurer is hereby directed to have a memorialization of this resolution certified and presented to Michael R. White as a symbol of gratitude for his distinguished service to the City of Cleveland and this Authority.

Section 4. That this resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption.

Adopted: December 18, 2001



President

Attest: 

General Manager/Secretary-Treasurer