

RESOLUTION NO. 2003-037

EXPRESSING SINCERE APPRECIATION TO
FRANK J. POLIVKA, GENERAL MANAGER OF LAKETRAN,
FOR 25 YEARS OF DISTINGUISHED TO THE TRANSIT INDUSTRY

WHEREAS, Frank J. Polivka was hired in 1979 as the first employee of the Lake County Regional Transit Authority, and was given the task of creating a transit system for Lake County, Ohio; and

WHEREAS, Frank J. Polivka filled this role with distinction, developing and leading a nationally honored transit agency now known as Laketrans -- an agency that emphasizes the transportation needs of the elderly and people with disabilities; and

WHEREAS, In 2000, Laketrans was named the "Best Transit System" of its size by the American Public Transportation Association (APTA), which proves that Frank J. Polivka's hard work and keen vision have been recognized by his peers across this great nation. Laketrans has also received numerous awards for its excellence in financial reporting, for marketing, for involvement in the safety community, and for its service to people with disabilities. Frank J. Polivka has chaired several key committees of the Northeast Ohio Areawide Coordinating Agency, and formerly served as President of the Ohio Public Transit Association; and

WHEREAS, Frank J. Polivka plans to retire from Laketrans on May 1, 2003, after years of selfless dedication.

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 Frank J. Polivka for his many years of outstanding service to public transit in Lake County and Northeastern Ohio.

Section 2. That the members of the Board of Trustees offer their sincere best wishes to Frank J. Polivka as he seeks new challenges in his retirement.

Section 3. That the CEO, General Manager/Secretary-Treasurer is hereby directed to have a memorialization of this resolution certified and presented to Frank J. Polivka.

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

Adopted: April 15, 2003



President

Attest: 

General Manager/Secretary-Treasurer