RESOLUTION NO. 2003 - 145

EXPRESSING THE SORROW OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES AND THE ENTIRE GREATER CLEVELAND TRANSIT AUTHORITY FAMILY AT THE PASSING OF MERVYN L. JONES, SR. AND EXTENDING OUR GREATEST SYMPATHY TO HIS WIFE, CONGRESSWOMAN STEPHANIE TUBBS JONES, AND THE ENTIRE FAMILY

WHEREAS, Mervyn L. Jones, Sr. was a devoted husband of Congresswoman Stephanie Tubbs Jones, loving father to Mervyn L. Jones, II and friend to all who knew him.

WHEREAS, Mervyn L. Jones, Sr. played an integral role in each of the political campaigns of his wife Congresswoman Stephanie Tubbs Jones.

WHEREAS, Mervyn L. Jones, Sr. was the loving father of Mervyn L. Jones, II, affectionately known as "Little Merv" who was Mervyn Sr.'s pride and joy.

WHEREAS, Mervyn L. Jones, Sr. was a trusted member of the Greater Cleveland business community and was respected by all those he served and those that were employed by him.

WHEREAS, Mervyn L. Jones, Sr. passed away October 2, 2003 at his home in Cleveland, Ohio and will be greatly missed by those whose lives he touched.

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

Section 1. That the memory of Mervyn L. Jones, Sr. is honored and the Board of Trustees publicly expresses their sorrow upon his passing.

Section 2. That the Board of Trustees and the entire Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority family extends condolences to Congresswoman Stephanie Tubbs Jones and her family upon their loss.

Adopted:

October 21, 2003

President

Attest:

Manager/Secretary-Treasure