

RESOLUTION NO. 2006-17

EXPRESSING CONGRATULATIONS TO THE EMPLOYEES OF THE  
GREATER CLEVELAND REGIONAL TRANSIT AUTHORITY WHO RETIRED  
DURING THE FOURTH QUARTER OF 2005

WHEREAS, the following employees retired from the Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority during the fourth quarter of 2005 after numerous years of dedicated public service:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Work Location</u>
James Ambrose	Supervisor - Claims	Main Office
Charles Benton	Operator	Hayden
Michael Burger	Electronic Equip. Maintainer	Central Bus
Maria Christmas	Janitor	Central Bus
Paul Cook	Station Attendant	Rail Headquarters
Samuel D'Fantis	Maintainer	Central Rail
Tom Eccleston	Material Handler Leader	Harvard
Richard Fairweather	Procurement Specialist	Main Office
William Griffin	Operator	Harvard
Gary Halko	Operator	Harvard
Bertha Idom	Operator	Hayden
Albert King	Transportation Manager	Triskett
Claire Laury	Administrative Assistant	Main Office
Dennis Lucak	Operator	Triskett
William Lytle	Janitor	Central Rail
Sylvester Marshall	Operator	Hayden
Allen Mitchell	Operator	Triskett
Edward Mitchell	Operator	Hayden
Larry Moore	Operator	Hayden
Dannie Parker	Track Maintainer	Central Rail
Harry Patterson	Operator	Hayden
Cletus Reed, Jr.	CRT Group Leader	Paratransit
William Rogers, Jr.	Operator	Hayden
Ramadan Sabir	Operator	Rail Headquarters
Omar Abdul Shareef	Operator	Harvard
Vernon Watson	Supervisor – Rail Shop	Central Rail
Harmon Westerfield	Hostler	Hayden

WHEREAS, these retirees faithfully gave of their skills, time and talents to provide high quality public transportation to the community; and

WHEREAS, these retirees did much to contribute to the quality of life in Greater Cleveland by providing much-needed public transit service and protecting our valuable environment; and

WHEREAS, the retirees' outstanding diligence in the performance of their jobs was of immeasurable value to both riders and residents of Cuyahoga County; and

WHEREAS, these retirees represent hundreds of years of invaluable public transit experience, and they will be missed.

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

Section 1. That the sincere congratulations and gratitude of the Board of Trustees is hereby extended to each of the above named employees on the occasion of their retirement from the Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority.

Section 2. That the members of the Board of Trustees offer their best wishes to the retirees for continued success and happiness, which they so richly deserve.

Section 3. That this resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption.

Adopted \_\_\_\_\_, 2006

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President

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
CEO, General Manager/Secretary-Treasurer