

RESOLUTION NO. 2013-52

EXPRESSING APPRECIATION TO DR. VALARIE J. MCCALL FOR HER SERVICE TO NORTHEAST OHIO AND THE AMERICAN PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION ASSOCIATION (APTA) AND ENDORSING HER CANDIDACY FOR VICE CHAIR OF THE APTA TRANSIT BOARD MEMBER COMMITTEE

WHEREAS, Dr. Valarie J. McCall was appointed to the Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Board of Trustees in 2006, and is currently serving as the Chair of both the Planning & Development Committee and the Safety & Security Committee, and is now serving her third consecutive term as a Board Member; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Valarie J. McCall has shown a strong commitment to Cleveland as its Chief of Government & International Affairs, serving as Cleveland Mayor Frank G. Jackson's primary liaison to state government and federal entities; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Valarie J. McCall has also shown a tireless commitment to the Northeast Ohio area, where she serves on many boards including as Board President for the Northeast Ohio Areawide Coordinating Agency (NOACA), the area's five-county region Metropolitan Planning Organization; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Valarie J. McCall has participated in American Public Transportation Association (APTA) conferences, and has become active in APTA Committees and Boards, including serving on the APTA Board of Directors, American Public Transit Foundation Board (APTF), APTA Legislative Committee Authorization Task Force, as Secretary of the APTA Transit Board Member Committee, and having served as Region IV Representative of the Transit Board Member Committee; and

WHEREAS, she would like to pursue increasingly responsible roles for APTA, having expressed her interest in serving as Vice Chair of the APTA Transit Board Member Committee.

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 Dr. Valarie J. McCall for her dedicated service to the American Public Transportation Association (APTA).

Section 2. That the members of the Board of Trustees endorse her upcoming candidacy for Vice Chair of the APTA Transit Board Member Committee and wish her the best of luck in the upcoming election.

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

Adopted: July 16, 2013



President

Attest: 

CEO, General Manager/Secretary-Treasurer