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Commonwealth Transportation Board

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***Agenda item # 9***

**RESOLUTION**
**OF THE**
**COMMONWEALTH TRANSPORTATION BOARD**

**April 15, 2025**

**MOTION**

**Made By:** Mr. Laird, **Seconded By:** Mr. Byers
**Action:** Motion Carried, Unanimously

**Title: Action to Modify the Policy for the Prioritization of the VTrans Mid-term Transportation Needs**

**WHEREAS**, it is the responsibility of the Office of Intermodal Planning and Investment (OIPI) to develop the Statewide Transportation Plan, referred to as VTrans, for the Commonwealth Transportation Board's (CTB) approval, pursuant to Code of Virginia Section 2.2-229; and

**WHEREAS**, the Code of Virginia Section 33.2-353 requires that VTrans shall establish goals, objectives, and priorities; and

**WHEREAS,** the CTB, identifies and prioritizes transportation needs in VTrans by defining "Transportation needs" Mid-term Needs to be addressed over the next 10 years; and

**WHERAS**, these CTB policies establish the need categories and criteria and are utilized to direct planning and investment resources; and

**WHEREAS,** the current Mid-term Needs Identification Methodology is documented on page 18 of the VTrans Policy Guide dated November 2021; and

**WHEREAS,** the CTB policy for the prioritization of VTrans Mid-term Needs requires that VTrans need category weightings establish Construction District Priority locations, based on SMART SCALE Area Type weightings; and

**WHEREAS,** the CTB updated the SMART SCALE Area Type weightings on January 16, 2024, resulting in modification of the VTrans need category weightings; and

**WHEREAS,** the recommended VTrans need category weightings modification to establish Construction District Priority locations were presented to the Board on March 18, 2025; and

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** the Board hereby adopts the recommended VTrans Need category weightings to establish Construction District Priority locations, as included on slide 17 of Attachment 1.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** OIPI is directed to administratively update VTrans Need category weightings to establish Construction District Priority locations, to maintain alignment with SMART SCALE Area Type weighting changes approved by the CTB.

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## Attachment 1: March 2025 CTB Workshop Presentation

Overview of the Policy to Identify and Prioritize VTrans Mid-Term Needs; Update the Policy to Prioritize VTans Mid-Term Needs