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Honorable Mayor Allison Silberberg and Members of City Council
City Hall
301 King Street
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November 17, 2016

Re: City Match for FY 2018 Transportation Demand Management (TDM) Operation Grant

Dear Mayor Silberberg and Members of City Council:

At its November 16, 2016 meeting, the Transportation Commission (Commission) discussed the application to the Department of Rail and Public Transportation (DRPT) for the FY 2018 Transportation Demand Management Operation Grant.

The Commission directed staff to proceed with the application to DRPT and recommended approval of the required City matching funds (20 percent local match) for the fiscal year 2018 TDM Operation Grant. FY 2023 CMAQ and RSTP project funding requests.

The City's TDM program, GO Alex, supports the City's 2008 Transportation Master Plan which envisions a "transportation system that encourages the use of alternative modes of transportation, reducing dependence on the private automobile." TDM measures also directly benefit the environment by reducing greenhouse gas emissions from vehicles, supporting the Eco-City Charter, improving public health, and creating stronger communities and a more prosperous and livable Alexandria. We appreciate your consideration of the Commission's input toward the funding requests.

Sincerely,

J.J. King III
Chair, Alexandria Transportation Commission

cc: Alexandria City Council
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