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Funding recommended for 34 GRTC projects in DRPT FY25 Draft SYIP



Richmond – Today the Commonwealth Transportation Board released its FY25 Draft Six-Year Improvement Plan, which includes millions of dollars in funding for projects and programs across the Richmond region. Included in the list: \$3.6 Million from the Commonwealth to continue to support GRTC’s fare-free transit, \$3.5 Million in funds to support the extension of GRTC’s Route 1 5.5 miles to Virginia Center Commons, almost \$3 Million for Essential Infrastructure, including bus shelters and benches, and nearly \$14 Million to purchase new buses.

GRTC CEO **Sheryl Adams** was excited about today’s announcement, saying “**The budget recommendations in today’s release will be instrumental in maintaining the historic improvement and expansion of transit we’re proud to be delivering for the Richmond region.**”

GRTC Chief of Staff **Adrienne Torres** echoed the sentiment, adding “**The projects recommended for funding will help us with everything from necessary maintenance to planning transformation projects.**” **We’re grateful for the support of the Commonwealth and look forward to delivering an even better GRTC.**”

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GRTC’s mission is to connect people to opportunities by providing safe, sustainable, reliable, and equitable transportation.