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CERTIFICATION UNDER SECTION 1511 OF THE AMERICAN RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT ACT

Pursuant to Title XV, Subtitle A, section 1511 of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (Pub. L. 111-5 (Feb. 17, 2009) ("ARRA"), I, Michael S. Townes,\* hereby certify that the infrastructure investment funded with amounts appropriated by ARRA under these headings: "Highway Infrastructure Investment" to the Federal Highway Administration, "Transit Capital Assistance," "Fixed Guideway Infrastructure Investment," and "Capital Investment Grants" to the Federal Transit Administration, have received the full review and vetting required by law and I accept responsibility that such investment is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars. I further certify that the specific information required by section 1511 concerning each such investment (a description of the investment, the estimated total cost, and the amount of ARRA funds to be used) is provided on the Virginia Statewide Transportation Program (STIP) and is available to the public at [[http://www.gohrt.com/developmentproject/recovery\\_reinvestment\\_act.html](http://www.gohrt.com/developmentproject/recovery_reinvestment_act.html)] and is linked to Recovery.gov.

I understand that my state or local agency may not receive ARRA infrastructure funding unless this certification is made and posted.

Michael S. Townes,  
President/CEO

Signed this 2<sup>nd</sup> of June, 2009

\*In accordance with section 1511 of the ARRA, the Certifying Official may be either the Governor, mayor or other chief executive, as appropriate.

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