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Supervisor Dan Storck
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Dear Supervisor Storck

Ref: MVCCA Resolution regarding EMBARK Public Outreach and the SFDC

On behalf of the MVCCA I am transmitting the attached resolution to you for your consideration and action.

Sincerely,

Katherine
Katherine Ward
Co-Chair
MVCCA

Enclosed: MVCCA Resolution (Board) 2016-01 EMBARK Public Outreach

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Whereas; The MVCCA is a voting member of the South East Fairfax Development Corporation (SFDC) board;

Whereas; the mission of SFDC is to encourage and promote the revitalization of the Richmond Highway Corridor though engagement with the public and all SFDC meetings are open to the public;

Whereas, EMBARK Richmond Highway project (AKA EMBARK) is the revitalization and improvement of Richmond Highway;

Whereas. EMBARK's advisory council mission is to engage the public through education and outreach regarding the purpose and mission of EMBARK Richmond Highway. To do this the EMBARK advisory council established a subcommittee for outreach.

Whereas; Six SFDC board members are also members of the EMBARK Advisory Council MVCCA believes that for the EMBARK project to be facilitated through outreach and education, the SFDC must be able to discuss status and progress of EMBARK at their board and committee meetings.

Whereas, county staff has advised the MVCCA representative to the SFDC that SFDC may not discuss EMBARK at their Board Meetings unless County staff has advertised this meeting as a co meeting with EMBARK.

Therefore, be it resolved that:

1. All SFDC meetings should have EMBARK on its agenda on a regular basis in order to allow for any EMBARK discussion;
2. Fairfax County Staff should routinely advertise that any SFDC meetings will include EMBARK updates and are open to the public.

Therefore, be it further resolved: The MVCCA requests Supervisor Storck engage with the County attorney and DPZ (EMBARK staff) to ensure that SFDC may address EMBARK at any and all of its meetings.

APPROVED BY THE MVCCA GENERAL COUNCIL ON OCT 26TH, 2016