

## **BACKGROUND:**

We skipped a discussion of a dues increase last year.

The most recent change in dues was 2011 when we lowered the dues from \$0.65 to \$0.575. Current dues: \$0.575 per capita for counties and Lynchburg and a flat \$1,045 for towns. This year (FY 21) revenues from dues will generate \$156,242.

# **PROPOSED OPTIONS:**

- 1. Consider increasing dues by 5 cents to generate an additional \$13,587.
- 2. Consider increasing the dues by the Cost of Living index, through September 2019 1.7% which would generate \$2,887.

#### July 1, 2018 Population Estimates for Virginia and its Counties and Cities

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Locality	July 1, 2018 Estimate	July 2020 Billing using July 1, 2018 Population Estimate @ \$.575 per	5 Cent Increase With Town at Same % increase	Difference with a 5 cent increase	COL Change Sept19 /Sept 18 1.7%	Difference with a cost of living increase
Amherst County	31,867	\$18,323.53	19,917	1,593	\$18,635	\$312
Appomattox County	15,679	\$9,015.43	9,799	784	\$9,169	\$153
Bedford County#	78,329	\$45,039.18	48,956	3,916	\$45,805	\$766
Campbell County	55,425	\$31,869.38	34,641	2,771	\$32,411	\$542
Lynchburg City	81,339	\$46,769.93	50,837	4,067	\$47,565	\$795
Town of Altavista		\$1,045.00	1,136	91	\$1,063	\$18
Town of Amherst		\$1,045.00	1,136	91	\$1,063	\$18
Appomattox town		\$1,045.00	1,136	91	\$1,063	\$18
Town of Bedford		\$1,045.00	1,136	91	\$1,063	\$18
Town of Brookneal		\$1,045.00	1,136	91	\$1,063	\$18
	262,639	\$156,242.45	169,829	13,587	\$158,899	\$2,656
			\$13,587		\$2,656	

#2010 Census Estimate Includes numbers for Bedford City

### **DUES RATE HISTORY**

2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
\$0.400	\$0.450	\$0.500	\$0.500	\$0.500	\$0.550	\$0.65	0 \$0.650	\$0.650	\$0.575
2012	2013	2014	201	5 20	16	2017	2018	2019	2020
\$0.575	\$0.575	\$0.57	5 \$0.5	75 \$0.	575 \$	0.575	\$0.575	\$0.575	\$0.575

## **CHART OF DUES CHARGED BY OTHER PDC'S**

Central Virginia PDC	\$0.575
Central Shenandoah	\$0.70
West Piedmont (Danville/Martinsville)	\$0.55
Mount Rogers/Whytheville/Bristol/Galax	\$0.85
New River Valley	\$1.27
Commonwealth (Farmville)	\$19,000 per jurisdiction
Roanoke/Alleghany	\$1.00
Southside/Mecklenburg/Brunswick/Halifax	\$1.25
Thomas Jefferson/Charlottesville	\$0.62

# HOW WE SPEND DUES REVENUE:

For 2020-2021, we generate \$156,242 in dues. 47% goes to match transportation grants that bring in \$500,500.

Another advantage is that we don't nickel and dime localities for match money for these ongoing transportation grants.

	<b>Grant Funded</b>	Local Match	Total
DRPT/FTA	125,262	13,918	139,180
RideSolutions	56,080	14,020	70,100
RideSolutions – Mobility	12,000	3,000	15,000
VDOT – PL	249,158	27,684	276,842
VDOT – Rural	58,000	14,500	72,500
	500,500	73,122	573,623