

# OHIO TURNPIKE AND INFRASTRUCTURE COMMISSION

## Resolution Honoring the Distinguished Service of Ohio State Senator Rob McColley

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 5537.02(B) of the Ohio Revised Code, on February 26, 2019, the President of the Ohio Senate appointed State Senator Rob McColley to the Ohio Turnpike and Infrastructure Commission; and

WHEREAS, prior to his membership on the Commission, Senator McColley served two terms in the Ohio House of Representatives, where he was instrumental in setting statewide transportation policy and funding as Chairman of the Ohio House Finance Transportation Subcommittee and was primary sponsor of the state's Transportation Budget for the 132<sup>nd</sup> General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, during his tenure in the Ohio Senate, Senator McColley continued to perform a prominent role in establishing transportation policy and funding as Chairman of the Ohio Senate Transportation, Commerce and Workforce Committee and serving as Co-Chair of The Road to Our Future Joint Legislative Study Committee; and

WHEREAS, during his tenure with the Commission, Senator McColley has been a proponent of the Commission's mission to be the industry leader in providing safe and efficient transportation services to our customers, communities and partners; and

WHEREAS, Senator McColley worked to amend the Commission's authorizing statutes related to short form advertising of bids and value-based and emergency contracting in the State's Operating Budget in 2019, thereby creating efficiencies in our administration and operations; and

WHEREAS, the Commission wishes to formally acknowledge Senator McColley's distinguished service to the Commission and the traveling public; and

WHEREAS, the members and staff of the Commission wish to give formal and public recognition for the honorable, exceptionally dedicated, and effective service of Senator Rob McColley.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED that the Ohio Turnpike and Infrastructure Commission hereby acknowledges and expresses its gratitude to Senator Rob McColley for his two years of dedicated service, and the Commission also considers that the people of the State of Ohio have been fortunate in receiving the unselfish services that he rendered; and

FURTHER RESOLVED that the Commission extends its best wishes to Senator McColley, his wife, and their children, and desires that Senator McColley have much success and well-being in all matters and activities that he shall undertake in the future; and

FURTHER RESOLVED that the Assistant Secretary-Treasurer be, and hereby he is, directed to send a certified copy of this Resolution to Senator McColley.

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