

RESOLUTION 2017-12

WHEREAS, the City of Buckhannon, supports “Roads to Prosperity” road bond amendment on October 7, 2017, and;

WHEREAS, there are several important dates to remember which tie into this very important election: September 18, 2017 – Voter Registration Deadline to register to vote or update your information for the Special Election. Register to vote/ Update Information. September 22 – October 4, 2017 – Early Voting is open during regular business hours at each county courthouse or courthouse annex. Early Voting is also available each Saturday from 9:00am to 5:00pm. Contact your County Clerk to confirm Early Voting hours and locations. September 30 – Noon, October 7, 2017 – Emergency Absentee Voting Eligible citizens may request an emergency absentee ballot until noon Election Day. Learn more about emergency absentee voting. Saturday, October 7, 2017 – Elections Day Polls open 6:30am through 7:30pm. Find your polling place, and;

WHEREAS, our West Virginia roads need fixing, and supporting the roads bonds will allow us to repair existing roadway – from the secondary roads to expressways, small bridges, and larger bridges to newly-planned projects – across the state, and;

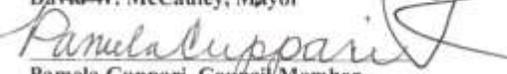
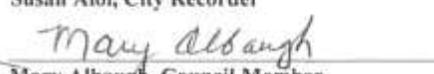
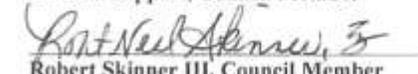
WHEREAS, development of roads and road projects means jobs and economic development, as well as, improving the safety of our citizens and interstate travelers in our State and;

WHEREAS, this past session, our legislature passed five key pieces of legislature proposed by Governor Justice that put this funding mechanism in place in advance of the coming special election, and;

WHEREAS, these bills do many things: extend private-public partnerships in highway funding, increase the amount of monies for both annual design-build construction projects, and the state’s bonding authority of federal funds – that will raise as much as \$1.6 BILLION. But all of this funding cannot happen unless the people also vote FOR the amendment on October 7.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the City of Buckhannon, is in support of the “Roads to Prosperity” initiative and urges all citizens to vote for this important amendment on October 7, 2017.

APPROVED this the 21st day of September, 2017.

 David W. McCauley, Mayor	 Susan Aloï, City Recorder
 Pamela Cuppari, Council Member	 Mary Albaugh, Council Member
 Robert Skinner III, Council Member	 C.J. Rylands, Council Member
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